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In America today, 118 women's colleges continue to exist compared with 298 women's schools in 1960. While the number of single-sex schools has diminished significantly, there are signs that the trend is reversing itself. The advantages of academic pursuit free from opposite-sex rivalry and the proven achievements of graduates from such institutions have served to convince many that an education from a single-sex school is valuable, in fact preferable. Many women graduating from all-female colleges acknowledge the fact that they feel they are better prepared as individuals to become wife, mother, career person, or to fit whatever life style they choose for themselves.

As one of the 118 institutions remaining viable and fulfilling the need for a college offering the advantages mentioned above, Mary Baldwin College can be justly proud of its fortitude and role in meeting this need. Dr. Virginia Lester, president, has been most influential and innovative and her adept managerial skills have been the impetus of progress for the college. But its existence today is also due to the foresight, hard labors, and involvement of a number of people and of various groups of people from both within and outside the college community itself.

Each group—students, alumnae, board members, faculty and administration, and the Staunton community—has provided Mary Baldwin with gifts of involvement; gifts of time, talent, inspiration, dedication to cause, and financial support. All these types of gifts are necessary and important to the continuing efforts of the college. A gift of time and talent is an invaluable, unique personal asset that some have chosen to donate. Inspiration and dedication are intangibles which cannot be purchased but which are nonetheless ingredients for vitality and the successful completion of any goal. And it goes without saying that financial support is imperative in order to maintain the school itself and the high quality educational standards to which it adheres.

Because of the gifts of involvement and because of the unselfish people who have given them, Mary Baldwin College is stronger than in the recent past to fulfill its mission of providing the best available liberal arts education and preparation for tomorrow to today's young women.

The following pages give you a capsulized up-to-date look at the involvement of these groups.

STUDENTS
*Students, through the vitality and
 enthusiasm of youth, give much to Mary
 Baldwin College.*

Choir Tour Is a Success

Choir tour bus departed Staunton for a four-city visit in February. The Staunton Paint and Wallpaper Company generously provided the bus banner.



Neither snow storms, the flu, nor last minute cancellations could keep the Mary Baldwin College Express from its appointed rounds. Departing Staunton on February 15th., the 35 member choir left for a planned visit to four cities. Despite the fact that several students had been fighting the flu and Staunton had experienced about a foot of snow in the previous week, the undaunted group climbed on board their Continental Trailways bus and set out to sing and tell the story of Mary Baldwin College.

Among those brave souls who were to call the bus "home" for the next week were President Virginia Lester; vice president for development, Bill Wehner; director of special projects (and tour coordinator), Betty Jean Stocker; director of Admissions, Jack Blackburn, along with Choir director Gordon Page and Mrs. Page. Also accompanying the group were student admission guides Lisa Howard, Whitney Dodd, and Elizabeth Truett.

First stop on the tour was Memphis, Tennessee where Dr. Lester was interviewed on WMC-TV by Mrs. Peggy Rofles, an alumna of Mary Baldwin. Students of the Hutchison School served as hosts for lunch and a tour of the school and later in the afternoon, the entire choir program (including a short talk by Dr. Lester and a slide presentation by Jack Blackburn) was presented at an assembly time with some 600 students in attendance.

Attendance at the evening reception was hampered by the fact that a championship basketball game between two private schools was being played.

However, our persevering group traveled on to Little Rock, Arkansas where snow greeted the travelers. Schools were closed, streets became impassable, and the reception and program scheduled at the Little Rock Country Club were cancelled.

Saturday, February 18th., found our by now somewhat weary group in Dallas, Texas. Choir members were graciously housed by members of the Highland Park Presbyterian Church, where the choir sang at 9:30 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. services. The afternoon included a reception and program at the Dallas Woman's Club with fifty-seven in attendance.

The tour then concluded on Monday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Chiles who so generously invited the choir to present its program in their Fort Worth residence. With 123 in attendance, the choir sang its way into Texas hearts.

The tour had not been free of weather problems, illness, or disappointments but it was a great success. Students, alumnae, and friends had worked diligently to help tell people they visited about Mary Baldwin College.

MBC Students for Annual Giving Program

By BETTY JEAN STOCKER

Led by MBC junior, Carter Warren of Virginia Beach, Virginia, 31 students participated in the Annual Giving telethon appeal for parents and alumnae of Mary Baldwin. The students received 291 pledges, totaling \$7,782.50. Approximately 75% of the money pledged is new gifts and will be matched through the \$50,000 challenge fund, given by alumnae Mrs. Louise Donovan '08 of New Rochelle, New York and Mrs. Caroline Schoellkopf '43 of Dallas, Texas. The telephones were provided through the courtesy of the Westinghouse Electric Corporation plant in nearby Verona, Virginia.

Miss Warren, an English major, served as the first student extern this past year in the development office which directs the Annual Giving program. Under the supervision of Mrs. Betty Jean Stocker, she assisted in the planning and orientation of the students in this project.

Make Your Own Sundae Party Held

Some 82 students—the daughters, granddaughters, and sisters of alumnae—got together in February for a dinner and “make your own sundae” dessert. Invited by Virginia W. Munce, director of Alumnae Activities, the 34 daughters, 42 sisters, and 6 granddaughters happily enjoyed several kinds of ice cream and toppings.



Enjoying sundaes with students is Virginia Munce (second from left) director of Alumnae Activities.



Charter members of the Senior Gift Society.

Seniors Form Gift Society

The officers of Mary Baldwin College's most recent graduating class are shown displaying the Senior Gift Society Charter.

The Class of 1978 has announced the start of a tradition to challenge each graduating class to make a significant gift to the college upon graduation.

This year's class purchased a 25-year endowment life insurance policy which at the time of their twenty-fifth reunion will mean a gift to the college of at least \$25,000.

ALUMNAE
 Mary Baldwin College is fortunate indeed to have the dedicated spirit of volunteerism among its alumnae. Literally hundreds of hours are devoted to projects connected to the college by its devoted and hard-working alumnae.



Alumnae Dial for Dollars

By VIRGINIA WARNER MUNCE

For 13 nights this spring, in late March and early April, the phone lines across the country were humming with excited greetings from Mary Baldwin alumnae to other alumnae. In this new Annual Giving solicitation plan eight different cities were the sites of telethons. Banks, brokerage firms, and business offices lent the use of their phones to alumnae to make the calls.

Starting with a supper-time snack and instructions from Virginia Munce, Director of Alumnae Activities, alumnae then went to the phones for two hours of dialing classmates, catching up on their news and asking for their pledges to the Annual Giving Fund. The special message given to all alumnae was of the exciting

\$50,000 Challenge Fund which had been established by Louise Priddie Donovan '08 and Caroline Hunt Schoellkopf '43. Challenging more alumnae to give and regular givers to enlarge their gifts, callers announced that the Challenge Fund would match all new gifts and all gift increases dollar for dollar.

This successful effort was not only productive, but pleasurable for all who took part. Top honors for the most dollars raised in one night of calling go to Charlottesville, Virginia, where Mary Reuman Redenbaugh '67 was telethon chairman. The single most effective caller was Claire (Yum) Lewis Arnold '69 of Atlanta who brought in \$924 worth of pledges.

1978 ALUMNAE TELETHON REPORT

CITY	CHAIRMAN	WINNING CALLER	NUMBER PLEDGES	DOLLARS PLEGDED
Atlanta, Ga.	Jo Anne Hoffman Jay '70	Claire Lewis Arnold '69	103	\$ 3,636
Charlottesville, Va.	Mary Reuman Redenbaugh '67	Betty Ott Smallwood '46	153	4,194
Columbia, S. C.	Sandra Grizzard Grier '67	Sandra Grizzard Grier '67	73	1,662
Houston, Texas	Barbara Bullock Graham '57	Emily Dethloff Ryan '63	85	2,675
Northern Virginia	Marcia McDonald Helms '72	Marcia McDonald Helms '72	151	3,503
Richmond, Va.	Leigh Yates '74	Laura Jane Atkinson May '47	380	10,194
Roanoke, Va.	Anne Nimmo Dixon '64	Jane Reid Cunningham '59	129	2,979
Staunton, Va.	Nancy Payne Dahl '56	Charlotte Sheffer Reid '53	146	4,249
Mary Baldwin Student	Carter Warren '79	Denise Ott '79	96	2,139
Telethon to Alumnae			Totals:	1,316 \$35,231



alumnae, husbands, faculty, and staff enjoyed the indoor picnic Saturday night at the Student Activities Center. Following supper the reunion classes remembered "the way we were" with various reminiscences of student days.

A Texas-style welcome from Mary Sue Shields Koontz, reunion chairman, greeted the Class of 1953 on arrival at Mary Baldwin. The 25th celebration attracted 32 members who loved the MBC '53 hats provided by Mary Sue. Each '53'er was given a book of letters from classmates with news of the past 25 years.

The Way We Were—Relived

"Old friends seem to be even more precious as one gets older, and then there is something special about all Mary Baldwin girls which we know about, but can't explain."

"I had a ball. It was so good to be back and see so many old friends."

"The hours went all too quickly to catch up on everybody."

All of the above comments were overheard at the Mary Baldwin College Alumnae Weekend held May 12-14th.

A highlight of the weekend, which included workshops, dinners, and lots of fellowship, was the presentation of the Emily Smith Medallion Award to Mrs. Sarah Lacy Miller. Mrs. Miller '38 served as chairman of the 40th reunion of her class. In making the award, President Virginia Lester made note that Mrs. Miller "lives a life of joyful service to God and believes that His design for us transcends boundaries . . . she chose, through her church, to bridge the distance between her Virginia home and peoples of other cultures."

The Emily Smith Medallion Award was established and named for Mrs. Herbert McKelden Smith '06 in honor of her own unparalleled record of service to the college, church, community, and Commonwealth.

Shown are some photographs from the weekend.



ina Parker '73 fills her plate at the
urday night supper. Behind the un-
ntified man are professors emeriti Dr.
l Mrs. Thomas Hancock
tson who were among
umber of current and
mer faculty members
nding.



Judith Godwin '52, left, discusses her paintings with Lib Hardin Taylor '47 at the opening of her ten day exhibit in the library gallery. A reception in the Alumnae House followed the showings of paintings.



Alumnae Association Board Passes Resolution of Appreciation for "From Ham to Jam"

By VIRGINIA WARNER MUNCE

At the fall, 1975, meeting of the Alumnae Association Board of Directors the Board adopted the publication of a Mary Baldwin cookbook as a two-year project. Alumnae chapters throughout the country participated in gathering and testing recipes. Over 1,000 were collected, from which the cookbook committee selected 650, organized, edited, and prepared them for publication. There have been 3,480 copies sold of the original printing of 5,000 copies.

This project would not have moved forward without the help of an "angel", Katherine Huff Tucker '26, whose generous gift toward the cost of publication made the cookbook a reality. Mrs. Tucker, of Richmond, Virginia, has always been interested in alumnae activities and has been a loyal and supportive member of the Richmond Alumnae Chapter.

To show its appreciation to the dedicated and hardworking committee who made "From Ham to Jam" possible, the Alumnae Association Board of Directors passed the following resolution of appreciation:



Katherine Huff Tucker

Resolution in Appreciation of the Cookbook Committee May 13, 1978

Authorized by the Alumnae Association Board of Directors
and presented at the alumnae luncheon

WHEREAS, in 1975 the Mary Baldwin College Alumnae Association was seeking a means of contributing ongoing financial support and attracting favorable public attention to the college, and

WHEREAS, Emily Wirsing Kelly accepted the challenge of chairing a committee to produce a cookbook in the interest of furthering these goals, and

WHEREAS, she was enthusiastically joined on the committee by the following alumnae: Mary Ellen Cranwell Deemer, Ann Wallace Glover, Cecelia Acuff Bell, Virginia Warner Munce, Margaret Carper Wal-drop, Betty Buel Winn, Elizabeth Switzer Zirkle, and

WHEREAS, the committee enlisted participation from alumnae throughout the nation by soliciting recipes and organizing chapter assistance in testing the recipes, and

WHEREAS, the committee coordinated production of the cookbook by drafting and editing the manuscript, selecting and negotiating with the printer, and capturing the spirit of the college and of the project by the creative Ham and Jam cover contributed by Ann Wallace Glover, and

WHEREAS, the cookbook has been well received and highly praised by alumnae and the public at large, so that a second printing is projected,

Now, therefore, be it resolved that: the Mary Baldwin College Alumnae Association hereby expresses its thanks to Emily Wirsing Kelly and all of the members of the cookbook committee for their tireless hours contributed to the publication of the Ham and Jam cookbook, and

Be it also resolved that: the Mary Baldwin College Alumnae Association requests that copies of this resolution of thanks be prepared and presented to each member of the cookbook committee and that it be published in the alumnae magazine.

Alumna Officiates at MALTA

In its beginning years at Mary Baldwin College, the Middle Atlantic Lawn Tennis Association tournament had an enthusiastic supporter in Bobbie Reid '61, now Mrs. Bobbie R. Bailey. Bobbie returned to Mary Baldwin to officiate at this year's tournament. A resident of Birmingham, Alabama, Bobbie did more than officiate. She also took players to the courts, checked out nets, and just helped out.

Noting that this was her first time to meet Lois Blackburn, Mary Baldwin's coach and MALTA director, Bobbie commented that, "It just seemed like I have known her all my life . . . I just hope to get back another time."



Mrs. Bobbie Reid Bailey '61 checks out the net for MBC's MALTA tourney

Alumna Expresses Appreciation For MBC Education

One of the nicest notes to come along in a while came in May from Frances H. Budette, who attended MBC from 1907-1911. She now resides in Baltimore. In her note, she wrote the following: "It was a seminary then, with few graduates, three or four a year. I never graduated; in retrospect, I've wondered why—I had read Ovid, Horace, Livy, and comparable classics in French. I've been grateful for the good, basic education. You were also taught to be a lady. You did not chew gum, nor did you 'roll up' your sleeves. There were no such items of apparel as shorts or pants for girls to tempt us."

Texas Alumna of 1902 Subject of New Novel

By VIRGINIA WARNER MUNCE

Bess Walcott of Dallas, Texas, left Mary Baldwin Seminary in 1902 to marry her childhood sweetheart. From that point until her death in her late 80's, she lived eventfully and always exhibited the strong-minded independence and self-direction that is admired by today's feminists.

A book about Bess, *A Woman of Independent Means*, recently published by Viking, was written by Bess' granddaughter, Elizabeth Forsythe Hailey. This absorbing first novel is told in 264 letters and a dozen cablegrams spanning the years 1899 to 1968. The major facts of Bess' life in the book are true, but the author says, "The book is heavily fictionalized. In the writing I found fact and fiction constantly reinforcing each other. I have invented freely".

Excellent reviews have accompanied the appearance of Elizabeth Hailey's book. *Publishers Weekly* says Ms. Hailey "has managed a small triumph in this first novel about a 20th century woman. A singular person, yet everywoman, too. Bess is wonderfully appealing."

A Woman of Independent Means has been chosen a Book-of-the-Month Club alternate. The paperback rights have been bought by Avon and the British publishing rights sold to W. H. Allen, one of England's major commercial publishers.

LEADERSHIP
 Supplying the gift of leadership, the members of the Board of Trustees, Advisory Board of Visitors, and Alumnae Association Board of Directors give of their time, talent, and leadership abilities.

College Saddened at Deaths of Three Former Board Members

Former Board of Trustee president, Charles P. Lunsford, passed away in February. Mr. Lunsford, who was elected to Mary Baldwin's board in 1959, was chairman of Charles Lunsford Sons & Associates, Inc. of Roanoke, Virginia. Survivors include his wife, Kathleen Thomasson Lunsford, a son, three daughters, two sisters, and a brother.

John P. Edmondson, former chairman of the Board of the Trustees, died in March in Norfolk, Virginia, at the age of 75. A graduate of Virginia Military Institute and the University of Virginia, Mr. Edmondson practiced law before joining the firm of E. P. Dutton and Company. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Mary Dickson Cooke Edmondson, three daughters, three sisters, and seven grandchildren.

The Reverend Dunbar H. Ogden, Jr., who served on the Board of Trustees in 1942 and became its secretary in 1945, passed away in February. Rev. Ogden and his wife were residents of Oakland, California, at the time of his death.



Charles P. Lunsford



John P. Edmondson

Four New Trustees Named to Mary Baldwin College Board

At the April meeting of the Board of Trustees, four new members were named including Mrs. Margaret R. Van Clief, Mrs. Margaret H. Hitchman, Daniel G. Donovan, and R. W. Moore, Sr.

Mrs. Van Clief is a graduate of Vassar College and holds a B. A. degree in English. The mother of four sons, she has been an extremely active volunteer with such organizations as the American Cancer Society, the March of Dimes, and Heart Fund. She is a member of the Albemarle Garden Club, the Garden Club of Virginia, and Garden Club of America from which she was awarded the American Horticultural Committee Award in 1975.

In addition, Mrs. Van Clief is a former Board of Directors member of Camp Holiday Trails, Inc. for children with physical disabilities. She was one of the founders and former members of the Boards of Directors for both St. Anne's Belfield School in Charlottesville and Tros-Dale Home for Boys, Keene, Va. She also served as chairman of headquarters and "Volunteers for Van Clief" in her husband's successful bids to the Virginia House of Delegates. She is also active in Christ Church, St. Anne's Parish.

Mrs. Hitchman represents the Alumnae Association on the Board.

In addition to Mary Baldwin, she has attended Charleston Business School, Morris Harvey College, and the University of South Carolina. She also attended the USNR Midshipsman School and Supply Corps School and was commissioned Ensign in the Naval Reserve. She has been extremely active in a number of college and church related activities. In 1976, Mrs. Hitchman established the Grace Sutherland Herscher Scholarship at Mary Baldwin in honor of her mother.

Mr. Donovan is a graduate of Brown University and George Washington Law School. He is a member of the Virginia, New York and Connecticut Bars. Prior to entering private law practice, Mr. Donovan was employed by the United States Government in both Civilian Service and Foreign Service assignments.

He and his family reside on Quaker Lane in Greenwich, Connecticut.

Mr. Moore has also served on the college's Advisory Board of Visitors. In addition, he has served as a Director of First and Merchants National Bank in Staunton and on the Board of Trustees of Stuart Hall. He is owner and president of Moore Brothers Construction Company in Verona, Virginia.

Advisory Board of Visitors Elects New Officers

by BETTY JEAN STOCKER

Chairing the Advisory Board of Visitors for 1977-78 is Mrs. Robert M. Dickson (Anne Ponder '61) of Dallas, Texas. Officers serving with her are vice chairmen Chester A. Rose, New Canaan, Connecticut and G. Spruce McCain of Columbia, South Carolina. Ms. Carol Emory '65 of Washington, D. C. will serve the board as secretary.

Mrs. Dickson and her husband are the parents of two children. Anne has actively served the alumnae association on campus and in alumnae and college events in Dallas. She has just completed a term as vice chairman of this board.

Chester A. Rose and his wife, Jean, are parents of Mendy, a sophomore at Mary Baldwin. He is controller of the Union Pacific Corporation, New York, New York and served on the Academic Affairs and Career Planning Committee for the Advisory Board.

G. Spruce McCain and wife, Anne, an alumna of Mary Baldwin, are the parents of a current sophomore, Pam, and Kathy, Class of 1977. McCain is CLU with Penn Mutual in Columbia. This past year he served as chairman of the Development Committee for the Advisory Board.

Ms. Carol Emory '65, legal counsel for Bechtel Corporation in Washington, D. C., is a member of the



New officers for the 1977-78 Advisory Board of Visitors include Chester A. Rose, Anne P. Dickson '61, and G. Spruce McCain.

Career Planning Committee of the Advisory Board which will co-sponsor with Mary Baldwin's Women's Center a seminar directed toward careers for women in the fall. She and her husband reside in Washington Grove, Maryland.

Advisory Board members serve three year terms as consultants to the trustees and administrators of the college in the planning and promotion of programs and services. Alumnae, parents, and business associates throughout the country comprise the 50 member board which meets bi-annually.

Barbara Ragsdale Named President of the Mary Baldwin College Alumnae Association

Mrs. John R. (Barbara) Ragsdale III '67 was recently named national president of the Mary Baldwin College Alumnae Association. Mrs. Ragsdale resides in Petersburg, Va. with her husband, who is a periodontist, and their two daughters, Austin and Ashley. She is involved in volunteer work with the American Cancer Society and St. Mark's Methodist Church. The Ragsdales are members of the Petersburg Country Club.

New members of the Board include those whose term expires in 1981

Margaret Cole Chappell '64, Richmond, Va.
Lamira Sullivan Fondren '66, Greenville, S.C.
Mary Virginia Mudd Galvez '73, Baltimore, Md.
Brenda Nichol Goings '71, Charlottesville, Va.
Joan Velten Hall '67, Dallas, Tex.
Florence Wimberly Hellinger '52, Orlando, Fla.
Susan Thompson Hoffman '64, Danville, Va.
Laura Jane Atkinson May '47, Richmond, Va.
Margaret Thorn Rawls '69, New York, N.Y.
Cecil Mears Turner '46, Eastville, Va.
Joan Craig White '47, New Canaan, Conn.



**FACULTY AND
ADMINISTRATION**
*The faculty and administrative staff of Mary
 Baldwin College are vital elements in the
 overall functioning of the college. Many
 represent the college to the public and as such
 give an image of the educational opportunities
 available.*

The Mary Baldwin Conference Center

By GEORGE I. McCUNE

In January the Mary Baldwin College administration, through the innovative and creative leadership of President Lester, approved the use of Tullidge Hall on the SMA campus as a conference center. Tullidge Hall, one of the newer buildings, was constructed in 1966.

The physical plant department, with a limited amount of off-campus contract work, was able to bring the building in line for use by the deadline date of March 1, 1978. Dr. Dane Cox, Treasurer and Business Manager for the college was most supportive of the renovation program submitted by George McCune, Director of the Continuing Education Program and Coordinator of use of college facilities. Mr. Clay Bennett the new Director of the Physical Plant and Miss Ellen Stone, a Carnegie Administrative Intern representing the office of the dean of the college, completed the team supervising the decoration of the building.

Over six hundred letters were sent to a selected mailing of government, education, religious and civic organizations inviting them to consider Mary Baldwin as a location for conferences. The response to this announcement was very positive and several organizations sent representatives to tour the campus and visit the conference center.

The first conference was held in the Center on March 25 when ten students and four faculty from the Union Graduate School in Yellow Springs, Ohio contracted for their first meeting in this geographic location. The members of this conference were so pleased with the conference center and the Mary Baldwin campus that they contracted to hold a second meeting here in July and August.

In April the conference center was used by officials and students from four east coast colleges who were participating in the Middle Atlantic Lawn Tennis Association Tournament hosted by Mary Baldwin College. In May the building was the site of the first Mary Baldwin College-Washington and Lee collaborative course and housed, for the full month, twenty students from the two schools. Also during May, members of the class of 1963 occupied the third floor during Alumnae Weekend.



The college's Women's Center sponsored a weekend conference during the later part of May with out-of-town participants in that workshop staying at the conference center.

The conference center is located off Prospect Street and is situated in an attractive open area with ample parking space and adjacent recreational facilities. There are four levels in the building with the lower level providing a large open area conveniently dividable with folding doors so that five smaller conference seminar rooms can be created. On this same level there are three other rooms which will be made into informal lounges. There is a fairly large powder room on this floor, plus a dormitory type washroom.

The main floor or entrance level has a three bedroom apartment with a kitchen, private bath and large living room. The foyer and adjacent office creates an attractive entrance to the building and provides an excellent location to coordinate the conferences. There are seven single rooms on this floor plus a two-room apartment with a private bath and full dorm type shower rest room. The second and third floors have fourteen individual rooms, a two-room apartment and a common bath each providing total accommodations for sleeping 45 individuals, with the potential of expanding this number considerably by furnishing some rooms for double occupancy.

The conference center will be just one of the buildings to be used this summer. The campus will also be utilized for the Virginia's Governor's School for the Gifted, The Mary Baldwin College Special Summer Science Program, a month long workshop by The New Playwrights' Theatre of Washington, several one day and weekend events sponsored by the Staunton Theatre Wagon group, and for a large variety of evening activities by local school and civic organizations.

According to Mr. McCune and based on the number of calls and inquiries to his office regarding interest in utilizing space on the total Mary Baldwin College campus, there is great financial potential to the college in this area. This factor, along with the possibility of the college becoming a focal point for the development of art, music, and drama opportunities to be used by both the college and the community, makes the whole concept very exciting and certainly worthwhile.

You Are Invited To Attend: Women in Government Conference to be Held in October

The newly created Women's Center, under the capable direction of Dottie Geare, is in the process of planning an exciting Women in Government Conference. Plans, at this time, have not been finalized in every instance, but tentatively the conference will include such speakers as:

The Honorable Ethel Walsh, Commissioner—Equal Employment Opportunity Commission

Flora Carter, candidate for the U.S. Senate, Virginia

Pat Menk, past mayor of Staunton

Dorothy McDiarmid, delegate to the Virginia

General Assembly

The Honorable Ersa Poston, Commissioner U.S.

Civil Service Commission

The Honorable Virginia Allan, Former Deputy

Assistant Secretary of State

Toni Ford, Manager Career Planning and Manage-

ment Recruiting, General Motors Corporation

Kay Peaslee, Common Cause Coordinator of ERA

Lobbying in Virginia

Betty Southard Murphy, member and immediate past

chairman, National Labor Relations Board

To be held October 12 and 13, the conference will provide workshops entitled *Politics: Running for Office; State and Local Government Careers; International Careers; Corporate Route to Government; Consumerism: Jobs and Issues; and Women's Issues as a Route to Government Careers*. The opening address to be given by Ms. Walsh is entitled "What Title VII has Done for Women." The luncheon speaker, Ms. Poston, will speak on "The Federal Civil Service as a Career." The Conference will conclude with a dinner and Ms. Murphy will speak on the topic "Women in Government and International Affairs."

If this sounds interesting to you, please rest assured that you are invited to attend. Further details can be obtained from Ms. Dottie Geare by writing the college or by calling 703-885-0811, extension 264.

First ADP Student Graduates

Not many people could combine a successful blend of wife, mother, homemaker, nursing career, and college student and succeed at all these jobs at the *same* time. But Mrs. Diane Babral has managed to go through the rigors of being a student plus accomplish her duties in the other areas mentioned above. Mrs. Babral, incidentally, became the first Adult Degree Program graduate at Mary Baldwin, when she received her B.A. degree in Psychology and Sociology and graduated summa cum laude.

Begun in August last year, the Adult Degree Program is a unique non-traditional course of study. In Mrs. Babral's case, having already obtained her RN diploma from Montefiore Hospital in Pittsburgh, Pa., courses previously taken as part of her RN requirements were transferable. In obtaining her degree, Mrs. Babral was given credit also for prior learning from working at Western State Hospital and received credits under the learning contract method and other individualized study plans. Since the program is also non-residential, it was not necessary for Mrs. Babral to be on campus every day.

Even with all the assets of the plan, the past year was not an easy one for Diane. She presently works the 3-11 p.m. shift at King's Daughters' Hospital part time as a supervisor of nurses. In addition, she had to spend a minimum of 20 hours per week on her studies. Her



Diane Babral

husband, Gerald, an employee at General Electric in Waynesboro, and her three year old son, Eric, helped and were extremely supportive. They survived late suppers and problems getting housework done, as well as allowing Mrs. Babral time and quiet to study.

Even with a home, family, and job, Diane was elected to Psi-Chi, honorary psychology society, and was selected to be listed in "Who's Who Among American Colleges and Universities."

When speaking about the Adult Degree Program, she smiles and speaks openly about her satisfaction and happiness with both her professors and the program. And on May 27th., the hard work and effort paid off. Her goal was to receive a bachelor's degree and perhaps, at some future time, attend graduate school. The first part of that goal has been accomplished.

Staunton Puppets Donate Scholarships

The Staunton Puppets, a group which performs for children throughout the Shenandoah Valley area, recently donated \$600 to two outstanding Mary Baldwin College students. The recipients are Miss Elizabeth W. Lewis and Miss Susan Miska, both rising seniors. Miss Lewis is a drama major from Greenville, Va., and Miss Miska is a studio art major from Staunton.

Staunton Puppets, an organization formed six years ago, gives performances at clubs, churches, schools, parks, conventions, etc. The non-profit organization has its own portable stage and trailer for travel. All shows utilize taped music.

Construction of the puppets and the scenery is done by members of the organization. Making a puppet is a time consuming project which requires about 30 hours to complete. Made of stuffed cotton socks and unbleached muslin, they are weighted with sand, pasted with wheat paste, painted and shellacked and dressed. They are then strung with strings attached from an "airplane control" to the head, hands, back, and legs. By using the control, the puppeteer can manage the movements with one hand.

Gwen Walsh, Assistant Professor of Physical Education and Arlette Braginetz (pictured below) are co-directors and two of the founders of the group.



Jeepers and Pierrot, assisted by Mrs. Gwendolyn E. Walsh and Mrs. Arlette Braginetz, present a scholarship check to Liz Lewis and Susie Miska. William G. Wehner, vice president for development adds his congratulations.

Local Insurance Executive Donates Quilt



Dr. Lester and Dick Eastman admire the silk quilt he recently donated to the college.

One of the most attractive and interesting gifts to be given to the college is the recent gift of an antique silk handmade quilt donated by R. W. "Dick" Eastman. Mr. Eastman is a Staunton insurance executive.

The quilt, which took about eight years to make, was completed by Mrs. Garton, Mr. Eastman's great grandmother, in 1882. The quilt has been appraised and its value set at \$1400 and now hangs in the President's outer office.

The Staunton Glass and Mirror Company donated materials and labor for framing the quilt.

Community Support Aids in NEA Grant

The community has also been supportive of Mary Baldwin's efforts to renovate and recycle most of the buildings on the former Staunton Military Academy campus. Letters of support were written by several individuals and organizations in the community in support of Mary Baldwin's request to the National Endowment for the Arts for funds to examine the feasibility of such a project. A grant of \$17,500 was received from the Endowment to conduct the feasibility study. Without the strong and enthusiastic backing of the community the likelihood of such a grant would have been diminished.

New Dimensions Campaign Progressing



The picture shown above is the presentation of a check to Mary Baldwin College's president, Dr. Virginia L. Lester, from the executive director of the Cabell Foundation in Richmond, Mr. Clinton Webb. The Cabell Foundation contributed \$100,000 under the New Dimensions program for the Staunton Military Academy property purchase.

The New Dimensions program is moving right ahead with some \$5.5 million in pledges and gifts having been received to date towards the \$10 million goal. The campaign is scheduled to conclude in 1980.

du Pont Awards Endowment to Mary Baldwin College

Mary Baldwin College has just received an endowment of \$50,000 for scholarships from the Jessie Ball du Pont Religious, Charitable and Educational Fund of Jacksonville, Florida.

The grant came after consideration by the foundation to a request from Dr. Virginia L. Lester, President of Mary Baldwin, for student financial aid and is the second grant received by the college this year from this foundation.

President Lester commented that, "Mary Baldwin encourages all able students to apply for admission to the college and believes that students should be able to attend the college that best meets their educational needs. With the cost of education increasing, more and more well-qualified students cannot meet expenses in full and must have some financial assistance. We welcome the endowment by the du Pont Foundation for this scholarship support."

News of the Faculty

In March, Dean of the College Dorothy Mulberry; Frank Southerington, Associate Professor of English; and James McAllister, Professor of Religion and Philosophy, attended a conference on Critical Issues in the Humanities held in Mobile, Alabama.

Patricia Menk, professor of history, attended the regional meeting of Phi Alpha Theta hosted by the University of Richmond in late February. Mrs. Menk also accompanied a group of students from her civil war history class to Richmond, Petersburg, Fredericksburg, Chancellorsville and Wilderness Civil War battlefields in March.

Jean Mather, Assistant Professor of History, is attending a summer seminar for the National Endowment for the Humanities at the University of California-Berkeley. Ms. Mather will be doing research in the field of 17th century British culture specifically dealing with reforms of Parliament during the period 1760-1790.

Professor of Chemistry, Jim Patrick, attended the Southeastern Regional meeting of the American Chemical Society Student Affiliates in Virginia Beach, Virginia. Mary Baldwin students Jane Harcus and Elizabeth Saunders presented papers done under Dr. Patrick's direction. The work had been supported by a Cottrell College science grant from Research Corporation. Dr. Patrick also attended the society's Middle Atlantic Regional meeting at Hunt Valley, Maryland held April 7th. In May, he spoke at a meeting of Delta Kappa Gamma, organization for teachers.

Summer will find Mike Campbell, Instructor of Music, attending a seminar sponsored by the National Endowment for the Humanities at New York University. He will be working on a project involving rhythm in Beethoven piano music.

Three faculty members, Bonnie Gordon, Instructor of Biology; Margaret Pinkston, Assistant Professor of Biochemistry; and Elizabeth Hairfield, Assistant Professor of Chemistry, were elected to Iota Sigma Ti, honorary society for women in chemistry.

Robbins Gates, Professor of Political Science was named to Phi Alpha Theta, international history honor society.

Adult Degree Program Director, Dudley Luck, has been inducted into the honorary education society for women, Delta Kappa Gama. She and Dottie Geare, Director of the Women's Center, just recently returned from a trip to Vermont where they met with other members of the FIPSE network in a 3-day study and workshop to prepare research and documentation on a fall publication about non-traditional degree programs.

News from the Classes

CLASS OF 1901

Recently the Alumnae Office received a letter from the daughter of **ADDIE HORTON** Philson telling us that she celebrated her 96th birthday on February 14, 1978. Through the years Mrs. Philson has been an active member of her Baptist Church and Sunday School. After her marriage in 1911, she and her husband gave of themselves in all phases of civic, social, and religious life through her church and community. Their two daughters are graduates of the University of South Carolina. After the death of her husband in 1938 and the marriage of both daughters, she moved to Darlington to be with daughter, Josephine. In 1949 she became assistant to the Dean of Women at Coker College in Hartsville, South Carolina (even though she was past retirement age) and served in this position until 1958 when she retired. She has lived in Darlington, South Carolina, and is presently a resident of the Bethea Baptist Home which is only four miles from Darlington. Mrs. Philson has three grandchildren and two great-grandchildren of whom she is very proud.

CLASS OF 1911

MARGUERITE ARMENTROUT Strain of Dayton, Ohio, is still enjoying the programs at the Dayton Woman's Club.

CLASS OF 1915

ELLEN PARISEN Hammell of South Amboy, N. J., recently completed a two year term as president of the South Amboy Woman's Club and is active in civic and fraternal organizations. She has been to England, Scotland, and had a delightful trip to the Hawaiian Islands.

CLASS OF 1917

From Richmond, Va., **EDITH SEARSON** Hawpe writes that she is 80 years old and has a great-granddaughter.

CLASS OF 1920

1977 was the 50th anniversary year for **THELMA SIGLER** Williams of Millington, Tenn. She and her husband have enjoyed traveling over the years.

CLASS OF 1921

LIBB HUGGINS Barham of Murfreesboro, Tenn., and her husband are enjoying his retirement and are living life to the fullest.

CLASS OF 1922

From Atlanta, Ga., **MARGARET VAN DEVANTER** Fancher writes that her youngest granddaughter lives with her and has recently had a trip to Israel and Greece with the Youth Choir of her church.

LUCY HENEBERGER Hiers writes that they are now retired and are still living in Great Neck, N. Y.

CLASS OF 1923

LOUISE HODGES Hartzog and her husband stay quite busy in Greenwood, S. C., but find time for their grandchildren and golf. She took two of the grandchildren to New York, England, and Paris in September which she found to be quite an experience but lots of fun!

CLASS OF 1925

ANNE ALVIS Bodie enjoys driving for Meals on Wheels and helping with the music program at the Day Care Center in Williamsburg, Va.

From Houston, Texas, **MARGUERITE HANCOCK** Gimbert writes that her daughter, Evelyn, recently married and her grandson, David, graduated from the University of Virginia.

CLASS OF 1927

ELIZABETH RICHARDSON Bane, Grundy, Va., writes that she enjoyed a recent visit to Switzerland with her children. She and her husband went to Egypt and Jerusalem in November and at the time she wrote, they were planning a trip to Alaska in June. They both stay busy with Eastern Star and Masonic meetings.

CLASS OF 1928

LENA MCADEN Simpson of Jacksonville, Fla., is doing volunteer work in her local art gallery and hospital. Her husband died in September of 1976. Mrs. Simpson has one son.

ELSIE CARLETON Olsson, Miami, Fla., attended her 50th MBC class reunion in May. Her husband, Axel, died last October.

CLASS OF 1929

After 25 years of mission work in Brazil, **MARY GARLAND TAYLOR** retired to the U.S.A. in 1966, but in November, 1977, she felt the call to return for one more year of volunteer work with the Bible Institute.

CLASS OF 1930

In June, 1977, **ELIZABETH WITHERS** Glascock of Winchester, Va., was made Regent of the Fort Loudoun Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution.

The husband of **LOUISE BARLOW** Gibson has retired and they have moved back to Columbia, S. C.

CLASS OF 1931

In Montreat, N. C., **RUTH D. SEE** is teaching a class in American History at Montreat-Anderson College, in addition to her research at the Historical Foundation.

CLASS OF 1932

ALENE BREWSTER Lerner, Blacksburg, Va., and her husband spent three weeks in Portugal at Christmas. She still teaches a large class of piano and organ students and plays professionally with a string quartet. Their daughter, Beth, received her Ph.D. from VPI in March.

Bad weather in North brought two busy months of entertaining individuals and groups to **HARRIETT SEEM** Neff in Ft. Lauderdale, Fla. Many were friends that she had not seen for a long time.

In January **JOSEPHINE HUTCHESON** Magnifico had a wonderful trip to Israel and Greece. She lives in Farmville, Virginia.

CLASS OF 1933

VIRGINIA BRAND Francis of Salinas, Calif., writes that they love living in the San Benancio Canyon, but are glad to be mobile enough to get to Pleasant Hill, Tennessee, to visit Miss Lakenan every year and enjoy her humor and vitality.

From Garanhuns, Pernambuco, Brazil, **CHARLOTTE TAYLOR** writes that she is planning to retire at the end of this year after 34 wonderful years as a missionary in Brazil. She is currently director of the Bible Institute of the North.

Our sincere sympathy to **ELIZABETH BALCH** Sinlaire of Springfield, N. J., whose husband, Murray, died March 23, 1978, from a fall.

MARGARET KING Hardman, Trenton, N. J., has been traveling a good bit recently and visited **VIRGINIA BRAND** Francis and her oldest grandson in California earlier this year. She and her husband celebrated their 43rd anniversary on April 21.

MARGARET GRIER Livingston, Buffalo, N.Y., writes of her pride in her children and grandchildren. She keeps busy with church activities and is on the board of a resident home for older women.

CLASS OF 1935

LOUISE MARTIN Nagel, Pensacola, Fla., has six granddaughters and one grandson.

CLASS OF 1936

DUDLEY WHITMORE Ricks is D.C.E. at the First Presbyterian Church in Baton Rouge, Louisiana. **NORWOOD RICKS** (MBC '75) has her master's and is D.C.E. in Eastminster, Columbia, S. C. Her son, George, will graduate from Union Theological Seminary next June. The family will then have two D.C.E.'s and two ministers.

RACHAEL HANDSHAW Meeker of Spring Grove, Pa., has three children through college and "on their own", while she is involved with Contact (hot-line telephones) and studying sculpture.

CLASS OF 1937

ELIZABETH DORRIER Goodwin of Scottsville, Va., works as a hostess at Monticello, the historic home of Thomas Jefferson.

VIRGINIA GANTT Kendig, Roanoke, Va., was recently in Atlanta where she visited Beth and her husband, and not too long ago visited with John and his wife in Richmond. Their son, Bill, and his wife are back in Salem, Virginia, while he is going back to college. Perry serves on a number of boards, is an active bird watcher and enjoys traveling.

JANET LAMBERT Lookadoo has become a resident of Jacksonville, Fla., to be near her daughter. She moved from Michigan also because of the better climate and to be close to a fine urologist who is treating her severe kidney complications.

EDYTHE ALPHIN Moseley, Blacksburg, Va., writes that her husband is now retired.

From Orlando, Fla., **BETTY GUERNSEY** Hafley writes that her husband is teaching at Rollins College since his retirement from the F.B.I. Their son, Michael is technical director of the Community Blood Bank at St. Petersburg, Florida.

MARY CARTER, Atlanta, Ga., is still working part-time at the Agnes Scott College Library in the readers' services section.

CLASS OF 1938

BETH RANSON Woltman and her husband returned to Lansdowne, Pa., after three weeks of driving around the English countryside this past spring.

Keeping busy in Sturgis, Mich., **PHYLIS WILLIAMS** Ayres is involved in volunteer work, hospital guilds, political study club, safety patrol, and working with fourth and fifth graders. Allen is still active in the insurance agency.

In Washington, D. C., **MARGARET KELLER** Pearson is working as congressional liaison assistant with the National Park Service, Department of the Interior. She enjoys the families and activities of five children.

After 37 years in Roanoke, Virginia, **REBA WILSON** Boyer has moved to Woodstock, Virginia.

WINFRED YOUNG Bowman, Staunton, Va., is an account clerk in the Office of the Treasurer of Augusta County. She stays busy with her church work and the Daughters of the American Revolution.

In Kingsport, Tenn., **JESSIE MAE COVER** Kennedy's husband is vice president and director of research with the Eastman Company.

EMILY DOREMUS Male, Charlottesville, Va., is enjoying the traveling that is part of her husband's new job as District Governor of International Rotary.

LELIA HUYETT White, Perry, N. Y., enjoys skiing in the winter, playing golf and riding horseback in the spring, summer, and fall—and traveling the year 'round.

JOSEPHINE JACKSON Dickerson, Port Washington, N. Y., has been a semi-invalid since retirement due to neuro-muscular problems and arthritis.

CLASS OF 1939

FRANCES PERROTET Kresler writes from Kentland, Ind., that her husband is still in active medical practice. They are planning a Colorado River trip in August. Ann just graduated from Hamline University, St. Paul; Stacey is a representative for Pitney-Bowes; Phil is owner of "Cameras and Things" in Auburn, New York.

MILDRED LAPSLEY, Alexandria, Va., retired in June, 1977, after teaching 24 years in Fairfax County. She is doing volunteer work at Mount Vernon Hospital, painting, gardening, and golfing.

In St. Albans, W. Va., **MARY ANNE WILSON** Gibbs is current chairman of Circle and on Congregational Life Committee at her church.

HAZEL ASTIN Buchanan, San Antonio, Texas, her husband, and two married daughters had a wonderful trip to the Orient this past fall.

MARGARET JOHNSTON Evans and her husband, Ed, are now retired and living in Deltona, Fla. They are actively engaged in lawn bowling and participated in the North Central Florida League this past winter.

FRANCES RUE Godwin, Phoenix, Ariz., is administrator for a large U. C. C. church and her husband is busy with a home-building company. Their four children are grown and gone from home.

MARCIA GOOCH Johnston, Roanoke, Va., says that she is enjoying good health, tennis, and working in church and civic affairs.

LOUISE WILSON Hanna writes from San Francisco, Calif., that her daughter, Kimberly has just returned from England where she spent the past year as a Fulbright Scholar in Art.

HELEN DAY Mitchell, Waco, Texas, has happy memories of a month in Europe last fall and a January cruise in the West Indies.

MARGARET BROWNING Busick finds time to play tennis, take trips, and enjoy life in Arlington, Va. Both of her children are married and she has two grandchildren in California.

MARGARET ARMSTRONG Robertson, Richmond, Va., went to Hawaii in February and had an overnight stay in Honolulu where she talked to **BETTY BOYD** Caskey.

CLASS OF 1940

MARY VAN ATTA Derr, Boulder, Colo., writes that she is so pleased to be a grandmother. She is an associate editor of the Weaver's Journal, a quarterly for serious weavers, and publicity director for the Boulder Chapter of the Red Cross.

EMMA PADGETT Fitzhugh, Newport News, Va., has recently had a trip to the Holy Land where she heard bombs falling in Lebanon. Her son and new daughter-in-law live in Charlottesville.

ALICE BITNER Freund writes from Lancaster, Pa., that last July she had a fine visit with **MILDRED LEE HEVENER** '41 who lives in Arborvale, West Virginia. She and her husband were visiting their oldest son in Greenbank at that time where he was on a special assignment at the National Radio Astronomy Observatory.

PEGGY HERSCHER Hitchman and her husband have moved to Stuarts Draft, Va., since his retirement from Dupont. They are both working hard to remodel an old house.

CLASS OF 1941

DALE PETERS Bryant finds life in New Hampshire (Canaan) full of friends, work for visiting nurse and mental health groups, cross country skiing, audited classes at Dartmouth. Their four children visit often and she and her husband enjoy spring sailing in Tidewater Virginia each year.

In Toms Brook, Va., **NINA SPROUL** Wise is still working hard at restoring her little farm house and gardening. She is also busy with Garden Club activities and golf.

CLASS OF 1942

MARY ANN JONES Rogers of Cocoa, Fla., writes that her daughter, the Reverend **ANN CALVIN ROGERS-Witte** ('67) is now the minister of the Raleigh Community United Church of Christ in Raleigh, N. C., and has a little daughter named Mary Ann.

ELIZABETH LUCK Stiles, Ashland, Va., writes that her husband, Joe, is a Chevrolet dealer; Joseph received his MBA from U. Va. and is working with Burlington Industries; James is a graduate of V.P.I. and State University, working at VECO; Edward is a graduate of N. C. Wesleyan and is in business with his father.

From Annapolis, Md., **EVELYN RULLMAN** Houston writes that she has been a self-employed title teacher (real estate) for almost 31 years and her husband is retired. They have two sons, Price and Channing. Evelyn enjoys needlework.

CLARA AYRES Duckworth, Columbus, Ohio, injured her back in 1971 and has been in and out of hospitals ever since. Has recently attended a pain center and hopes to control the pain by bio-feedback.

GLADA MOSES Beard, Summit, N. J., writes that her husband has retired from International General Electric Company. Their two daughters are both special education teachers.

JANE CRAIG Morrison of West Chester, Pa., tells us that she and three other classmates met in May at the Cacapon State Park in West Virginia. They were: **EVELYN ENGLEMAN** Mathews, **ANNE HAYES** Brewer, **PEGGY MEREDITH** Darden. We are sure they must have had a grand time!

From Silver Spring, Md., **NANCY McWHORTER** Hurley writes that her daughter, Carol, has graduated from Brown University and is job hunting! Douglas is still in Seattle.

MARIAN HORNSBY Bowditch, Yorktown, Va., writes that son David and his wife have helped establish a Crafts and Art Center in Yorktown.

A very interesting note comes from **MARY BARTENSTEIN** Faulkner telling that she is writing a book called *Dare to Love* which is about the ten years she spent caring for six foster teenagers. Tom retired two years ago and they live in the Rectory.

CLASS OF 1943

In McLean, Va., **GLORIA PARADIES** Rothmayer finds time to do embroidery and needlepoint, along with painting, tailoring, gardening, rug hooking, and reading tapes for the blind. Her husband is senior vice president of the American Security Bank in Washington. They have two daughters and twin grandsons.

JANE COHRON Godfrey, Virginia Beach, Va., has a daughter at the University of Maryland and a son at Hampden-Sydney.

From Williamson, W. Va., we hear from **MARGARET PRICE** Pinson. Her college graduate daughters live in Durham, N. C., Greensboro, N. C., Dallas, Texas, and Richlands, Va. One daughter remains at home.

Waco, Texas, is home for **MARJORIE CARTER** Lacy. Her daughter, Helen, is in graduate school; son, Roane, Jr., is in his father's firm. They have one grandson.

TEMPLE TYREE Powell, Lynch Station, Va., stays busy with her gardening, discussion groups, religion and philosophical reading.

FRANCES KNIGHT Nollet lives in Endwell, N. Y., is a kindergarten teacher and thoroughly enjoys cross country skiing (which is new to her), flying, golfing, and collecting antiques. Her husband is vice president of E. H. Titchener Company in Binghamton, N. Y.

GRATIA KAYNOR Deane of Fayetteville, N. Y., has three grown children. She enjoys tutoring, tennis, writing, and guitar classes.

MARY JANE LYLES Houston, San Antonio, Texas, has two sons and is busy studying sculpture.

In Churchville, Va., **MARGARET McMURRAY** Hottel enjoys bird-watching in the winter time. Her husband is a Presbyterian minister and they have three daughters.

RUTH PETERS Sproul, Staunton, Va., is taking a course in etching and lithography at James Madison University. Her husband is a pathologist and they have four children.

In Shelbyville, Tenn., **MARY BAGLEY** Higgins enjoys her work in the church, gardening, and especially her red-headed grandson. Her husband is a banker and they have four children.

CLASS OF 1944

CHARLOTTE CRAUN Bishop, Bassett, Va., has been teaching in the Henry County Public School System for 23 years. Her husband is in quality control for Bassett Furniture.

BETTY SMITH Chapman, Myrtle Beach, S. C., writes that her son, Bill received his MBA from the University of North Carolina in May; son, Craig, is attending the Medical University of South Carolina.

EVA VINES Eutsler has lived in Alexandria, Va., for the last five years where her husband is district superintendent of the Alexandria District of the United Methodist Church.

ANN KIVLIGHAN MacLeod writes from Upperville, Va., that: "Am a poverty-stricken free-lance writer and a little old lady in tennis shoes." We find this hard to believe!

ELIZABETH CHURCHMAN Wick of Manhasset, N. Y., is looking forward to Merle's retirement at the end of June. They are proud grandparents for the first time.

MARY ANNA LOGAN Rogers has recently moved from Darien to Weston, Conn. She has five children all of whom are married but one. Mary Anna works as a secretary in the office of the YMCA in Darien.

CLASS OF 1945

JULIA PANCAKE Rankin of Mt. Holly, N. C., has a daughter, Julie, who plans to teach after receiving her M.A. in education; daughter Kitty is a graduate of the University of Georgia and is training to be a fabric designer; son, Richard, is attending U. Va. in pre-med, majoring in religion.

"**BUTCH**" **NEISLER** Timberlake and Buck are enjoying being a twosome again as daughter, Vickie, was wed in April. They are still dividing their time between their home in Lake Waccamaw and the Southport apartment which is 48 miles away where Buck is marketing director for beautiful Bald Head Island.

CECILE CAGE Wavell, Corpus Christi, Texas, has six children and five grandchildren. Oldest four are married and all live in Corpus Christi.

CARY BRYAN Boyd, Columbia, S. C., has a daughter, Virginia, at MBC.

CARMEN HAYES Anderson, Texas City, Texas, has been elected to the Board of Trustees at the local community college and is really enjoying the work.

CAROL SAULSBURY Moore, Chamblee, Ga., has a grandson who she says lives just too far away—France!!

HELEN PARKER Shepard, Harlingen, Texas, has two sons and two daughters.

Easter of 1977 found **KATHARINE KELLER** Ewin, New Orleans, La., with a group of MBC friends at a house party on the Ewin Plantation. This group included **MIMI MITCHELL** Tufts and **MARY LYNN ALDREDGE** McEntire, all from the Class of '45.

From Kent, Conn., **CHARLOTTE COHN** Davis writes that her daughter, Rebecca (the English teacher) was married last fall; daughter Alexandra (the law student) published an English textbook with her father; son, Joshua is an English major at Cornell. Charlotte is doing volunteer work for the church, FISH, and the Sharon Lab.

RIVES POLLARD Houser and John are enjoying restoring an old home in Thomasville, Ga. Their daughter, Allen Rives Lybrook, works for the Jacksonville Times Union and commutes on weekends to Thomasville. Son, Andrew, is with Reynolds Metals in Richmond.

CLASS OF 1946

JOAN MORAN Smith, Farmville, N. C., is still teaching kindergarten. Her two oldest sons are married; Harry lives in Charleston, S. C., and Bert in Rocky Mount, N. C. David is at UNC at Charleston and Carol is a sophomore in high school.

From **HARRIET SHOWELL** Bald in Arnold, Md., we learn that her son, Gary, is working at FBI headquarters in Washington; daughter, Barbara, is working for the Department of Education and attending night school; son, Jeff, is a sophomore at Randolph-Macon.

JANE DARDEN Britt writes from Mt. Airy, N. C., that her husband has retired from medical practice after 28 years. They have a granddaughter living in Birmingham and a son-in-law doctor. One of their sons is district manager for Crosman Arms and the other son is a quality control engineer with ITT. Their youngest daughter is an ultra-sound technician.

JEAN DINKINS Thomason of Charlotte, N. C., had a nice, long telephone conversation with **JOAN MORAN** Smith recently, and her roommate, **BETTY BRYANT** Anspach, visited her briefly. They found it fun trying to catch up on all the news.

CLASS OF 1947

From Staunton, Va., **MARY GRAVES** KNOWLES Hamilton tells us that her daughter, Ann, was graduated from U. Va. in May; son, Tom, is a sophomore at Lee High. Mary Graves has been working in the Alumnae and Development Offices at Stuart Hall on a part-time basis since July, 1977.

BETTY JANE HAMILTON Kay from Memphis, Tenn., is doing volunteer work. One daughter has graduated from Rollins College and one from Ole Miss. Son, Harvey, will be a senior at W&L next year.

KATHRYN ELSE Johnson of New Canaan, Conn., is active in Embroiderers Guild of U.S.A. Peter is a junior at Davidson and Jennifer is a freshman at Vanderbilt. Kay does volunteer work at Care Center and plays golf in the summer.

LEE EDWARDS Watkins of Bloomfield Hills, Mich., has two married daughters and one son; also a grandson and a granddaughter.

MARY VIRGINIA ESTES Cumming of Hampton, Va., has three children, but says that her "14-year-old keeps me young!"

In February **HARRIETTE CLARKE** Thorne of Darien, Conn., visited **MYRNA WILLIAMS** Vest in Wilmington and also saw **MARION SEITZ** Plitt. Harriette's daughter, Barb, and husband are in Boulder, Colorado, getting masters degrees. Son, Bill, is a graduate of the University of Vermont, and is working for IBM. Her husband is involved in town

government activities. Charlie is active in everything! Harriette went to London with the Sweet Adelines in October. She volunteers for lots of interesting things and for you with C.B. units. Harriette is "Aunt Happy" on roads North and South.

MIRIAM BUCKLES Helmen, Aurora, Ill., says that daughter, Mollie, is getting ready to enter Purdue University in the fall.

ANN BROWN Brown, Bracey, Va., and her husband are enjoying retirement—playing golf and traveling. All five children visit often and the youngest is still in school.

JO FARRIS Huff, St. Matthews, S. C., has been promoted to Dean of Learning Resource Center. Anne was married last summer; Tom is doing graduate work at the University of Louisville; Bo is doing graduate work at U.S.C. Her father-in-law is living with them.

Our sympathy goes to **MARY JANE WRIGHT** McCandless of Chevy Chase, Md., who wrote to tell us that her granddaughter was born on December 15, 1977. However, Mary Jane's mother died the next day.

MARIANNA JAMISON Leach is still teaching senior English, singing in the choir, running the house. Daughter **MARY HUNTER LEACH** '77 is living in Dallas and has a job as a paralegal. Son Bill is finishing his sophomore year at Hampden-Sydney.

CLASS OF 1948

From **BETTY ROBERTS** Bertelson of Franklin, Mich., we learn that Julia graduated from the University of Michigan in April; Jim is at Michigan State; Don will enter the University of Wyoming on a football scholarship in the fall. Betty says that this leaves only "one chick in the nest!" Betsy will enter high school in the fall.

Visiting the children is the favorite activity of **ELINOR WEATHERSBY** McCorkle. Ruth works in Washington, D. C. for Senator Howard Baker and "Mac" works for the Markle Foundation in New York City. Elinor and her husband live in Memphis, Tenn.

ANNE MONYHAN Chambers finds being wife, mother, and grandmother most interesting. Her volunteer work includes President of the Henry County Heart Association, Chairman of the Blood Donor Program, and serves as President of the Pan-Hellenic Association. She and Walter have four children and live in New Castle, Indiana.

JO BALES Gallagher of Morristown, Tenn., keeps busy putting together study tours for the Division of International Mission, Presbyterian Church, U.S. She is self-employed with a Christmas decoration business and has three children.

From Staunton, Va., "**MOPSY**" **POOL** Page says that she is deeply involved in Historic Garden Week in Virginia (chairman in Staunton for the Augusta Garden Club); student relationships; Historic Staunton Foundation; continued interest in King's Daughters' Hospital, as well as being involved in church activities. Her husband, Gordon, is Professor of Music and Director of the Choir at Mary Baldwin.

CLASS OF 1949

MARTHA HOBSON Crowder of Petersburg, Va., writes that her husband of 28 years is a luggage manufacturer. They have two sons.

MARY HELEN "WOOSIE" STORY Richardson, Houston, Texas, has four daughters and one granddaughter and is "busier than I've ever been."

MARGARET RYDER Pence of Richmond, Va., had an English student from Evesham, England, as a guest in her home for a month. Her son, Mac, will stay with him in England for a month in an exchange program.

ANN CRAIG Williams, Ridgewood, N. J., boasts of six grandchildren of whom she is very proud! Ann has a daughter and two sons.

Harold and **GWEN AUSTIN** Brammer enjoy traveling in their motor home and are in the midst of building a summer home. Between motor trips Gwen stays busy with hobbies, civic activities, and visits from the children. **KAREN BRAMMER** Slava '72 is doing exciting things in Hollywood, California, under the professional name of Karen Austin; Leah has received her B.A. degree in music from Florida State University; Austin is in sales for a sound company.

"All is fine!", writes **MARY LOU WILLIAMS** McLean from Florence, S. C. David, Jr. attends Davidson; Joe will be a freshman at Furman this fall; the two younger boys are in high school.

SHIRLEY SUNDERMAN Kostik of Arlington, Va., took a trip to Texas this past spring and had a delightful luncheon with **PATRICIA MURPHREE** Honea, her freshman roommate.

HELEN DUGGER London, Birmingham, Ala., has two daughters and a son. Helen is head of the Literature Department of the Birmingham Public Library.

CLASS OF 1950

MARION RODDY McGinnis writes from Corpus Christi, Texas, that her daughter, Patty, spent a mini-semester studying in Madrid, Spain. Her son was also studying in Spain at the same time.

MARY HORTON Waldron of Hyattsville, Md., has recently finished her master's degree in English Literature at the University of Maryland. Her daughter is a senior there and her son is a second year student at the local community college. Her husband is a retired judge and is now starting a second career.

PENNIE WEST Covington, Atlanta, Ga., and her husband have a son, Matthew, who has graduated from Davidson; another son is at Emory University. Pennie is doing some painting in her spare time.

MARY KATHERINE WOOD McCormick and her husband are planning a move from Richmond, Virginia, to Staunton this summer, as her husband is assistant district engineer with the Virginia Department of Highways. Mary has completed 14 years of teaching public school in Chesterfield County.

LOUISE HARWELL Fanjoy, Concord, Tenn., has two sons and she is taking tennis lessons.

CLASS OF 1951

Anxious to show off the Schilling and Fink roots in Germany, **BETTY FINK** Schilling and Dick took their children to Germany and Switzerland for three weeks in June. The Schillings live in Bloomington, Indiana.

LILIAN BEDINGER Taylor, Nanjemoy, Md., writes that her daughter, Alice, is going to Susquehanna University; Laura is at Oberlin; and Tom is in high school and still at home.

PAGE WILSON Higgins, Bellaire, Texas, tells us that her daughter, Becky (MBC '74) received her master's from T.A.M.U. in 1976 and is teaching remedial math.

ELIZABETH YEATMAN Yaremchuk is still living in Fairfax, Virginia. Her husband retired in 1976 and her daughter is a graduate of George Mason University. Her son works for the First Virginia Bank.

From Richmond, Va., **MARTY FRIERSON** Hallett writes that her daughter, Patty, has graduated from R.M.W.C.; Kathy and Mary Jane are at Longwood; Marty is secretary at Youth Town and Bill is vice president at Life of Virginia.

PATTY ANDREW Goodson, Newport News, Va., has told us about a group from the Class of '51 who gets together for mini-reunions at the Virginia Museum in Richmond each year. Last fall this group included: **JEAN ATKINSON**, **JOAN LARRICK** Rule, **PATSY BROWN** Schlick, **GENEVIEVE COURTNEY** Ames, **BETSY BEARER** Sutton, and **BETTY HARWOOD** Copland. Anyone wishing to join this group can get in touch with Patty. Patty's children are all in school: Patty is in the master's program in piano at Peabody; Royden is at Dartmouth; Pax is at M. I. T.

FAY WHIPPLE Allen, Norristown, Pa., tells us that her husband is still a busy banker and she stays busy with various activities and volunteer work. They have a poodle who is now six years old.

CLASS OF 1952

MARY LAMONT Wade writes from Richmond, Va., that Lamont is a candidate for a master's in architecture at Washington University (St. Louis) and Suzanne is attending Mary Baldwin. Mary has enjoyed serving her term as President of the MBC Alumnae Association.

JEAN AMORY Wornom, Hampton, Va., tells us that Trip graduated from W&L and is now attending U. Va. Medical School. Tom is attending W&L.

BECKY DANZIGER Snell is part owner and full-time manager of a tack shop in San Antonio, Texas; her daughter graduated from the University of Texas at Austin. The Snells live on a small farm in Boerne, just outside of San Antonio.

JANE THURMOND Gregory, San Antonio, Texas has a son who is going to the South Texas College of Law in Houston and a daughter graduating from the University of Texas Health Science Center in Galveston.

In San Antonio, Texas, **ALICE BALL** Watts is teaching high school English and Spanish. Her son, George, is attending the University of Texas. She also has two teenage daughters.

CLASS OF 1953

EVA POUND Rothschild, Columbus, Ga., writes that she had a fantastic time at the 25th reunion!

ANN FITCH Lewis of Charlotte, N. C., sends her thanks to the college and to **MARY SUE SHIELDS** Koontz for making the Class of '53 reunion such a wonderful success.

In Ft. Worth, Texas, **CAROLYN COX** Howard has closed her gift shop and is concentrating on painting. She is also involved in Bible studies, prayer groups, and teaching. Carolyn has two daughters.

ALICE JAMES Buck in Louisville, Ky., works for the Rollins Protective Services and hopes to be in management soon! Her four children are scattered and busy.

ELLEN MARTIN Coe and her husband have four children. She writes that she is a homemaker, mother, and community worker (unsalaried!) in Pensacola, Florida.

BARBARA LeMARE Loux, Charleston, S. C., has one daughter who is attending Ashley Hall School in Charleston.

JANE TODD Horton is happy to be a homemaker in Alexander City, Ala., along with being WMU director, taking part in church activities, art classes, golf, silk flowers, batik, knitting and needlepoint. She and Mack have three children.

CARY BREATHED Weaver is combination wife, mother, and district manager for Doncaster. Her husband is an attorney and they have one daughter. They live in Charleston, West Virginia.

JANE ALLEN Rowe, Miami, Fla., is busy acting as an extra in movies, modeling, doing TV commercials—and "all of this after age 40!". Her children are: Melissa, Kim, Jean Anne, and Billy.

CLASS OF 1954

After living all their lives in Virginia, **LEE PIERCE** Mosso and her family have moved to Stamford, Conn. Her husband is now a member of the Financial Accounting Standards Board. Their youngest daughter is with them; their oldest daughter is in Arlington; their son is in V.C.U.

For the last nine years **ANN SHAW** Miller of Raleigh, N. C., has been the media specialist for Wake County Public Schools and her husband, Meredith, is working for the North Carolina State Government. They have two sons.

ANNE DOSHER Read has a needlework shop in the restored market area in downtown Charleston, South Carolina. Assisting her is

her daughter who took a course in Denmark at the Danish Handcraft Guild School. Anne's husband is a realtor.

The daughter of **CAROL BACON** Dreizler of Westfield, N. J., was married last August and will receive her master's in engineering from the University of Pennsylvania this summer.

CLASS OF 1955

PATTY TIPTON Pugh, Farmville, Va., has a son at VMI and a son and daughter in high school.

JOANNE CROUCH Clark, Hampton, Va., writes that her oldest son, Rick, is entering William and Mary this fall; Ellen is attending the Governor's School at RMWC this summer; Tom is in high school.

CLASS OF 1956

SALLY LANDER Edwards is now living north of Corpus Christi, Texas, on six acres which includes her own stable and arena. Bill is still an active trial lawyer, but loves his garden.

ANN RITCHIE Robertson, Augusta, Ga., left June 22 for Europe taking a group of high school boys and girls on a study trip (American Institute for Foreign Studies) for five weeks. Her daughter, Ritchie, will go, too.

ELIZABETH MALONE Kalnajs loves living on a remote mountain top in Pembroke, Maine and she says that her two younger sons 11 and 14 are thriving and daughter, Anne, is setting track records. She would love having visitors.

CLASS OF 1957

From White Post, Va., **SUE CARPER** Lee writes that her oldest daughter is married and living in Houston, Texas; second daughter is going to business school in Richmond, Virginia; third daughter is a student at U. Va.; and she has one son, 11, at home.

CLASS OF 1958

JAN GREGORY Belcher, Seaford, Del., is enjoying more free time now that Greg and Vance are away in college. She spends her time playing tennis and re-decorating.

NANCY PILLOW Bachman and her husband built a lovely home in Newburgh, N. Y., last year. Nancy finds time for tennis and driving her three children to their various activities.

ANNE COOKE Britt says she is a "Household Executive". She has two sons and her husband is a general surgeon. They live in Franklin, Va.

ILA JO DANIEL Tice and her family have been living in Dalton, Ga., for 11 years. She does Red Cross volunteer work at the hospital, is director of Sunday School, belongs to a garden club, and plays a lot of tennis.

MINIFRED BOYLES Trigg, Bastrop, Texas, says she is a housewife who has learned to play tennis and loves it. Her husband is a rancher and they have three children.

JOY PIERPONT Gibson, Savannah, Ga., and her husband are building a weekend home themselves and find it quite interesting. They have three children: Tommy, Pam, and Wallace.

KACKY LAYNE Hanna has gone back to teaching elementary school children in Seaford, Virginia. Her children are: John, Michael, David, and Kevin.

CLASS OF 1959

Wayne and **ANNE MCCLUNG** Anderson manage to keep busy (an understatement, she says) in Maryville, Tennessee. Wayne is President of Maryville College and they have two daughters.

MCHESNEY MAYER Grabau, Manchester, Vt., is working part-time in a real estate office and keeps busy with church activities, symphony and the art center. Her three children love being in Vermont.

CELESTE WEATHERS Patterson, Tucker, Ga., writes that she stays busy with the normal school activities of her two children and outside events.

ROSA PARTLOW Morrow lives in Tuscaloosa, Ala., and has two sons, Robert and David.

Since the illness and death of her husband last summer, **MARIE HAYWARD** Collins has continued to teach pre-school children. She has a son named John and twin daughters named Anne and Lynne and stays busy with their activities.

MELANIE TERRELL Gardner, Birmingham, Ala., tells us that her 12 year old son, Bobby, plays on the Birmingham Youth Ice Hockey Team. The team recently toured Toronto, Canada, where they played in an exchange program.

CLASS OF 1960

NANCY "BOO" HOOKER Manning, Kinston, N. C., writes that she and her husband are busy keeping up with three lively boys.

ANN BALLARD Van Eman of Houston, Texas, plays tennis in her spare time. Her husband has his own business they have two daughters Allison Ann and Laura Lee.

PEGGY CREIGHTON Seldeen of Fullerton, Calif., is involved with her own women's and girls' retail apparel business.

CLASS OF 1961

BOBBIE REID Bailey, Birmingham, Ala., enjoyed seeing roommates, **BETTY ALLAN** Collins and **DALE HAHN** Marlin at MBC during the MALTA tournament in May.

LYNN TERRELL Gafford, Ft. Worth, Texas, stays busy with her two daughters, ages 12 and 9. Gary owns his own real estate development firm, and Lynn has a small decorating business which takes much of her time.

CAROL WORNOM Sorensen who lives in Satellite Beach, Florida, and her entire family were in a serious automobile accident in January, but all are mending now. They love Florida and the activities of their church, baseball, and swimming.

In Smithfield, Va., **SALLIE BELLE WHITENER** Gwaltney and Howard stay busy raising their four daughters and Arabian horses.

DEBORAH FREEMAN Nixon, Chicago, Ill., has summer plans to visit in the South of France and then to Michigan to brush up on her golf game. She has 2 daughters: Meredith and Jessica, and a stepson, Ward, who will be going to Tulane in the fall.

KATHARINE BONFOEY Burgdorf, Hampton, Va., and her husband are looking forward to his retirement from the Army in June. They have four daughters.

DIANA CHOTE Smith, Austin, Texas, and three women friends have recently opened a new travel agency called Accent Travel, Inc. Diana is the mother of Sherry and Scott. Her husband is an Austin businessman.

CECELIA FLOW Eller has lived in Boston, Mass., for 13 years in a "great old brownstone in the heart of the city." Cecelia is the resident costume designer at MIT in Cambridge and has her own shop. Does free-lance in the professional theater. She has a ten-year-old daughter.

BARBARA WOODHAM Sims, Augusta, Ga., is involved in gourmet cooking classes, Bible study, tennis, and many other community activities. Her two sons are active in sports.

From Durham, N. C., **ANNA LLOYD ROHRER** Bach writes that her husband is busy with solar energy research. They have three daughters: Sherrill, Kathy, and Louise. Anna stays busy with oil painting, gardening, and Garden Club council work.

CLASS OF 1962

Spring and summer trips for **EUGENIA "WOO" McCUEN** Thomason of Bedford, N. Y., include Hawaii, Philippines, Hong Kong, Japan, and Mexico. Sounds like a lot of traveling.

PEGGY SAUNDERS Hayes, Hampton, Va., writes that her son, Brett, was a page for the Appropriations Committee during the 1978 General Assembly session in Richmond, Virginia.

CLASS OF 1963

NANCY ELY Wright is involved in Assistance League and PTA. Denny is Director of Instruction for Elementary Schools in Roswell, N. Mex. They have two sons, Brian and John.

CAROLYN HALDEMAN Hawkins of Hampton, Va., has been doing some volunteer bookkeeping, church work, and working with the Girl Scout cookie sale.

EMILY DETHLOFF Ryan, Houston, Texas, and her husband are involved in PTO and Junior League. Tom has opened his own office in energy consulting. Kemper is 11 and Ragan is 10.

LYNETTE WARNER Shiver and her family have recently moved to Alpharetta, Ga., where they lived about nine years ago. She says it is nice to be "back home". They recently had a visit from **JULIANE JORGENSEN** Taylor and Bob.

JANE ELLEN VAUGHAN Lockwood of Flagstaff, Ariz., is completing requirements for a Bachelor of Fine Arts in weaving at Northern Arizona University, and is currently an intern in weaving at the Museum of Arizona.

ELIZABETH LAIRD Hicks and her family of three children (Kevin, Michelle, and Krista) are living in Bethesda, Maryland. Her husband is an endodontist and is stationed at the National Naval Dental Center.

MARGRETTA CLARK Grumbles, Dallas, Texas, is doing juvenile work and really loves it. Keeps busy with her two children, Ernest and Diana.

SUE JORDAN Rodarte, Rochester, Minn., has purchased a building and is enjoying being a landlord as well as running her clothing store. Joe is doing pulmonary research at the Mayo clinic. Their daughter is six years old.

JOANN BROWN Morton, Columbia, S. C., is assistant to the Commissioner for Special Projects, South Carolina Department of Corrections. Her husband is assistant professor of History at Benedict College. They have one son, Turner Ashby.

From Birmingham, Ala., we learn that **FAYE BAKER** Clark is experimenting with motivational techniques—motivating parents in the Parent-Education Program to be involved with the school and their children; motivating her own children to happy excellence; motivating peers to be active in church, etc. Faye's husband is an attorney.

PAT FISHER McHold, Annapolis, Md., is a self-employed artist, painting water colors of scenic Annapolis, and is an officer in the Maryland Federation of Art. She and her husband have three children.

ANNE HOGSHEAD Aleman, Wilmington, Del., works in the Office of Human Relations, Department of Community Affairs and Economic Development. Along with raising four children, Anne is serving as PTA president.

PAGE PUTNAM Miller, Hyattsville, Md., is working on her Ph.D. in American Social History and her husband is a minister. They have one child.

CLASS OF 1964

ANN HIGGINS McWhirter in Columbus, Ga., writes that her two boys are now 8 and 4 years old and her husband is still in private practice of anesthesiology. Ann has been elected as recording secretary of the Women's Auxiliary to the Muscogee County Medical Society—which she finds is a relief after running their annual tennis tournament.

After teaching for five years, **JULIA CARRINGTON** Bemis resigned to become the manager of a small private lab in Asheville, North Carolina. She has two daughters, Mary Ellen and Ruth.

PENNY ABBITT Quarrier, Charlotte Court House, Va., and her husband, Dave, are in their second year of directing a center for retarded adults in Charlotte County. Along with this, they keep busy farming and raising their two children.

VICKIE REID Burford owns This End Up Furniture Company in Roanoke, Virginia. Vickie writes that Holly and Reid are "really special".

In Atlanta, Ga., **SALLY DORSEY** Danner is an interior designer with a commercial design firm.

IRIS HARDING Belling and Tom recently moved from Atlanta to Overland Park, Kansas, where he is a regional program manager for IBM. Her family, including Lynn and Kristen, are adjusting to the mid-west weather and the change of scenery.

CLASS OF 1965

JUDITH PAYNE, Morris Plains, N. J., is currently working at Warner-Lambert Company as product manager and is also a part-time faculty member at Fairleigh Dickinson University in Marketing.

BETSY WALKER Cate, Columbia, S. C., writes that her three children (Walker, Nilla, and Elizabeth) keep her very busy, along with church and community activities.

SUSAN HUNTER Gilbert lives in Boca Raton, Florida, where her husband is president of a bank. They have two children, Chris and Andy.

MARJORIE LOVING McCaleb, Cradockville, Va., and her husband are constructing the first solar heating house on the Eastern Shore of Virginia.

Two little boys keep **SUSAN SPICKARD** Uhlig quite busy in Timonium, Maryland with time left over for tennis and Junior League work.

MEREDITH CARTER Patterson, Burlington, N. C., opened an art studio three years ago and has been doing portraits of local people. She has also done artwork which has been printed on clothing for Sears, Montgomery Ward and K-Mart.

VIRGINIA CHAPMAN Cobb, Little Rock, Ark., writes that Jim is executive vice president of a bank; Billy is in the second grade and playing tennis and football; Cynthia is in the first grade and rides horses. Virginia took a recent trip to Egypt, Syria, Lebanon, Jordan and Israel.

DIANE COOPER Byers, Weaverville, N. C., says that three sons and her husband keep her busy. Her sons are Chris, Craig, and Tommy.

CHARLOTTE TYSON Mewborn, Farmville, N. C., stays busy with church work, Brownie Scouts, Community Arts Council, Inc., and enjoys needlework. John is assistant regional supervisor with Vocational Rehabilitation. Daughter, Amy, is in second grade and son, Kevin, is in nursery school.

CLASS OF 1966

MARY ELIZABETH SWOPE has just returned to Arlington, Va., from six months in Yugoslavia where she was serving with the U. S. Delegation to a conference on security and cooperation in Europe. She is presently the special assistant to Ambassador-at-Large Arthur Goldberg.

BETTY DRURY McConnell, Cincinnati, Ohio, is busy with her three children, Michael, Daniel, and Mary Beth, church and community activities. Her husband will finish general surgery residency in 1979.

EMILY WRIGHT Mallory, Roanoke, Va., is working on a steering committee of the Coalition for Juvenile Justice and is in charge of the pre-school division of her church's Sunday School. Julie has completed second grade and Bo will be in kindergarten next year. Brooke is still with the Child Development Clinic.

CLASS OF 1967

PEGGY WEAVER Crosse, Roanoke, Va., is working at Roanoke Memorial Hospital as Director of Volunteers and Patient Services. She and her family are looking forward to a summer of lots of travel and tennis.

SUSANNE REIM Glass, Earlsville, Va., has recently been promoted to head of the serials section of the cataloging department of the U. Va. Alderman Library with the rank of assistant professor.

LUCIA HARRISON Jayrocks, Mt. Pleasant, S. C., and her husband, Ned, enjoy doing a lot of sailing. Lucia is mother to Sarah (almost two) and Ned is headmaster of the Charleston Day School.

GINGER PUCKETT Grizzard, Roanoke Rapids, N. C., stays busy with two daughters, Marion and Sarah, and occasionally teaches at the local community college. Volunteer work includes the Girl Scouts.

PEGGY MADDEX Barnes is still in Greenville, N. C., and working 20 hours a week as a hospital pharmacist. Spends the rest of her time being a wife and mother of Rob and Sarah, along with playing a little golf.

ANNE COOKE is building a solar heated home in Aspen, Colorado and is hoping to open a business this summer.

SUZANNE PERRY Turnbull and Ned live in Laurel, Miss., with their daughter, Marshall, and son, Randolph.

MARGARET ALLEN Palmer, Nashville, Tenn., has spent a busy year as cookbook chairman for the Junior League. Alex is making plans to go into his own business and they have two children.

After teaching for 11 years, **NANCY JEFFRIES** Obenschain is planning to retire. Sam is a partner in his law firm and they have a son named Christopher.

ROSA McLAUGHLIN Carrington, Houston, Texas, has three daughters who are happily busy with piano, art, and sports activities. Ed's law practice is mainly oil and gas which is very exciting these days. Rosa stays busy with volunteer projects, Junior League and jogging.

ELIZABETH STIGLER Pearce lives with all their animals on four acres in Waverly Hall, Georgia. Neil is an Army officer by day and a college teacher by night.

BARBARA HANNA Joyner and Jim have left Lexington, Va., to go to Korea for his next duty assignment. They will be in Seoul for two years which will be quite an experience for their two children.

CLASS OF 1968

SHARON KNOPP Bares, Ft. Wayne, Ind., is a part-time instructor at Purdue University-Ft. Wayne campus, and her husband is assistant professor of Chemistry there, also. Sharon is busy working on her Master of Science in Business Administration, decorating their new home, plus her teaching duties.

ANDREA METTEY Pascal, Terre Haute, Ind., takes pride in loving her son and helping him to grow. Her husband is a Graduate Fellow, Indiana State University.

ANNE WALKER Milliken, Columbia, S. C., is a housewife with three children. Her special activities include gardening and yard work. Her husband is a real estate salesman.

MAGGIE LAWRENCE Parkerson, Rescue, Va., has two children, Laura and Arthur. Her husband is a wholesale nurseryman.

ELIZABETH GLAZEBROOK lists her employment as securities trader with the Trust Department of Bankers Trust in Columbia, S. C.

MARGARET ANNE ROBERTSON Fohl of Richmond, Va., is the mother of two, John and Kathryn. She lists her volunteer activities as counseling at Planned Parenthood and working with Maymont Foundation. Her husband is a dermatologist.

VICKI HURD Bartholomew lives in Nashville, Tenn., with her lawyer husband and two children.

SUZANNE SMITH Williams, Brooklyn, N. Y., is a student again, enrolled at Fairleigh Dickinson University. Her husband is an attorney and they have a son named Robert.

GIGI REYNOLDS Vogel, Potomac, Md., is Director of College Counseling, Georgetown Visitation Preparatory School, in Washington, D. C. She and her husband, who is an attorney, have a son who is named Christopher.

BETS ROPER Golden is living in Auburn, Ala., where her husband is an assistant professor of forestry in the area of forest ecology at Auburn University. Bets has started a large vegetable garden and several flower beds, as well as leading a troop of Junior Girl Scouts.

SUSANNE DYER Stanley, Silver Spring, Md., has returned to two days of work a week as a programmer for the government which she loves. David continues to be a prosecutor in Washington and they have a son, Jonathan.

JUDITH YATES Tor, Corpus Christi, Texas, is still teaching and riding horses.

MARTY HOWARD Patten, Newport News, Va., boasts of having "two beautiful" children, Brooks and Brad. She is a Brownie leader and is in the Junior League, and was chairman of the Spring Bazaar at St. Andrew's School.

PEYTON WOOLDRIDGE, Greensboro, N. C., has been working at the Bowman Gray Medical School in Winston-Salem in the continuing education section. Is planning a move to the North Carolina mountains sometime next year. Peyton is studying to be a carpenter and a photo-journalist.

NANCY THOMAS Yost, Roanoke, Va., enjoys being a "domestic engineer", her four-year-old daughters, and gardening. Her husband is still with the First National Exchange Bank.

PEGGY BURNETT Crawford lives in Charles Town, W. Va., where Jim is an attorney. She enjoys long-distance running and horseback riding.

ANNE KINNIER Driscoll has recently moved to Charlottesville, Va., where Irving is principal with the Albemarle County Schools. They have two children, Sears and Sarah.

DEBORAH DEMME Caldes has recently started her own business in Wilmington, N. C., called "Soapworks, Ltd." Her son, Brice, is nearly five years old.

PATTY THOMAS Robinson, Wayzata, Minn., has just recently moved into a new home and her children (Betsy, Kathy, and Christy) are looking forward to having their own rooms, new friends, and snow! Harry has finished his training and will be assistant professor of orthopedic surgery at the University of Minnesota Medical School, as well as having a private practice and continuing his research.

CLASS OF 1969

KAY CULBREATH Young has been chairman of the History Department at the Academy of Holy Names in Tampa, Florida, and is spending this summer in Egypt on a study fellowship.

SANDY HOLLIMAN Morrison, Lynchburg, Va., has recently started an art and home accessories business called "Artists Concepts Gallery". She is also working on a Junior League project doing historic preservation research, which she hopes will result in the redistricting of historic areas and the publishing of a book relating Lynchburg's history to its architecture. Her husband is a lawyer and they have two children.

MARY GWEN HALSEY has returned to Atlanta, Ga., and is working as a correspondent for Harcourt, Brall, and Jovanovich, Inc. Her schools include those in Virginia and the independent schools in the Southeast.

MARGARET LIVINGSTON works for Ruth Marvin Travel Service in Savannah, Georgia.

KATHERINE QUILLIAN moved to Great Falls, Mont., in 1977 to accept a position as Personnel Officer for the Lewis and Clark National Forest, U. S. Forest Service and she says that she loves it!

ALEDA HAYS Rickelton stays busy in Cullman, Ala., with Patrick and David, Jr. David, Sr., is now administrator of Doctors' Hospital.

VIRGINIA MOOMAW is managing a branch office of World Travel Service in Roanoke, Virginia, and doing a great deal of traveling.

FRAN BUHMAN, Alexandria, Va., is employed as a procurement assistant for the Office of the Secretary, Department of the Interior.

DEE DEE PIESTER Triplett, Robert, Craig, and Melissa plan to move to Greenville,

South Carolina, this summer where her husband, Robert, will continue to be associated with Daniel International Construction. Dee Dee is designing patterns for needlework and painting in watercolor.

ANN WIRTH Williams, Plano, Texas, is involved with D.A.R., A.A.U.W., and refinishing furniture. Her husband, John, is an accounting supervisor for Atlantic-Richfield.

JANE FURMAN Pressly, Greenville, S. C., is doing a lot of volunteer work. Her husband is an attorney and they have a daughter.

DINAH THOMPSON Searles, Germantown, Md., is busy with Leigh and Alison; also does some jogging and aerobic dancing.

MARY ANN FEIL Morris and her husband are stationed at Schofield Barracks in Hawaii. They have two sons, Jamie and Sean.

SUSAN SWAFFORD Sheldon, Moultrie, Ga., has two sons, Wilson and Chad.

JANE TOWNES, Williamsburg, Va., writes that "Last year's extra-curricular project was accepted by *The Journal of Southern History*. This year's is to lecture for my supper in England and Northern Ireland while visiting excavations of 17th century sites."

SUSAN CHRIST, Las Vegas, Nev., is looking forward to a camping vacation in Utah and Colorado this summer, as well as taking The Glory Ringers, the bell choir which she directs to California for a handbell festival.

ROSE DRIVER Stuart, Columbia, S. C., is a law student at the University of South Carolina. Her husband is an attorney and they have two daughters, Sarah and Lollie.

JEANNE BRISCOE Baum, Summit, N. J., loves the "winter wonderland of the North" after five years in Atlanta. She has two daughters, Garland and Dabney.

PATRICIA MORRIS Milbourn, Holt, Mich., is curriculum director for her church and is a substitute teacher. David is a Presbyterian minister and they have two children, Jeffrey and Michael.

JUDY JONES Vaughn, Mt. Airy, N. C., and Harry have two sons, Hal and Allen. Judy plays bridge with BARBARA LOVILL Hooks who has moved back to Mt. Airy.

CLASS OF 1970

LESLIE FREEMAN of Jacksonville, Fla. has been working as a counselor in a school for emotionally handicapped adolescents. Recently visited MARGARET HAWKINS Oosterman '70 and LAURA CROON Murray '70 in Alexandria.

CYNTHIA L. MC NEILL of Greensboro, N. C. is now a traveling photographer for Regal Studios. Bought a towhouse. Often sees CANDY SNODGRASS Gessner '70 and husband Frank.

ELAINE RABE Giese is enjoying being a mother to her one year old daughter, Amy at their home in Wynnwood, Pa. Recently saw SARAH LENTZ Gott '70.

MARGARET HAWKINS Oosterman and her husband who is a naval nuclear engineer have recently settled in Alexandria, Va. They have a daughter, Virginia Beth, and are expecting in August.

MARGARET ANNE HAILE is working in the Virginia history and geneology section of the Norfolk, Va. Public Library.

Being mother to two daughters keeps LOIS CHAPMAN Wilson of Murrells Inlet, S. C. busy and happy. Abe is associated with Sea Captain's House.

ELIZABETH HIGGINBOTHAM still lives in New York City and is working in various theatre groups.

PAULI OVERDORFF has moved from Washington to New York to work at Hill and Knowlton—the well known public relations firm, as an accounts executive. Sharing a co-op with JENNIFER MACK Urquhart '69.

ELIZABETH JENNINGS Shupe, whose husband is Sports Information Director at Purdue University, Lafayette, Ind.; is enjoying working as an academic adviser in the School of Management at the University. Baby due in September.

LAURA WATTS Williamson, her husband and three children are farming, and she is substitute teaching in the county high school in Crewe, Va.

CYNTHIA COLEMAN Yapp and family have recently moved to Augusta, Ga. for her husband to practice OB-GYN. They anticipate moving back to Hawaii in the future. Cyndy has her master's degree from Georgia State.

KATHERINE CRAWFORD Arrowsmith is involved with a family, homebuilding and part-time work. They are residing in Bowling Green, Ky.

ALICE LAIRD Giskick of Amherst, Ma. is very busy being a mother, conducting the church choir, and writing for the local newspaper.

POLLY ANN ROULHAC is an editor at the National Gallery of Art in Washington, D. C.

ANN DILLINGER Elgin stays busy with her family and craft projects. They are living in Vienna, Va. Would like to contact Sue Stephens '70.

DEVON HIXENBAUGH is corporate sales manager at Holiday Inn in San Francisco and President of Redwood Charter Chapter—American Business Women's Association.

JANIE IRZYK Mize is enjoying sunny weather in Hawaii and has plans for going back to West Palm Beach, Fla. while her husband David goes to Okinawa.

After getting a masters degree in French STEPHANIE SHEARER Wynne is an instructor in French and Program Director of Foreign Languages at Morris Harvey College in Charleston, WVa. Has a daughter born Jan. 1977.

MARTHA BOOTH Jennison is living in Brooklyn, New York and loves it!

CLASS OF 1971

HANSFORD CHARLES Pretlow has a new address to report, Bellevue, Washington (near Seattle).

ELEANOR MYERS O'Mara is managing a family and selling real estate on the side as her husband works as an economist with the

Environmental Protection Agency in Washington. They live in Galesville, Md.

BROOKE HUME is pursuing a career in law at Vanderbilt Law School, Nashville, Tenn. Will soon be moving to Atlanta and take the bar exam.

JANICE BOOTH Maner and her family are living in Charlotte, N. C. where her husband Dave works for Duke Power Co.

CLAUDIA WITHERS Fahrner lives in Huntsville, Ala. Recently had a mini-reunion in Washington, D. C. with several classmates.

KATHERINE BLACKWELL Roach is making the adjustment to the role of motherhood in Richmond, Va. where her husband Kenneth is a psychologist for the Chesterfield Co. School System. She plans to return to her position as job analyst for Henrico County.

EMILY PAINE Brady lives in Lexington, Mass. and is very active with civic activities.

NANCY WINTERS Moore is living under the sun in Apopka, Fla.

BERYL CRUTIS Roach loves being back in Virginia after living three years in California. She, her husband a son live in Ft. Eustis, Va., but will soon be moving to Europe.

SUSAN HOCH Crane lives in Alexandria, Va. and has been promoted to Assistant Vice President and Assistant Manager of Riggs National Bank.

MARY DORSEY BASS Wanless, her two children and husband are residing in Columbia, Missouri.

KATHERINE COLEMAN O'BANON is teaching Spanish at St. Francis High School and enjoying the "new green" of spring in Louisville, Ky.

HOLLY MERKEL Daane and her husband live in Canton, Ohio where she is employed still as a loan interviewer at a local community bank and her husband is practicing law. Her new hobby is skiing.

KATHERINE DOWNIE is living in Alexandria, Va. and working for the Alexandria Department of Social Services.

LORRA KEEN Hines and husband Bill are making their home in Scarborough, Ontario, Canada where she is working in the Information Centre/Library of the Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce. Her husband Bill is a branch manager.

CLASS OF 1972

Just married in November, CLAUDIA TURNER Bagwell is living with husband Bill in Onancock, Va., on the Eastern shore. She just began a new job as a correspondent for the "Virginian Pilot" in Norfolk.

JANE RAYSON Young is enjoying Vermont while her husband attends law school caring for son Matthew born in October while her husband attends law school. She also maintains a small business making patchwork and applique quilts at their home in Vermont.

Plans are for MILDRED WILLIS Paden to return to school to obtain her master's degree in early childhood education. Husband Ben is at Harvard Business School.

LEAH WALLER Golden teaches sixth grade in Lexington, Va. She and husband, who

works for the VMI Foundation, expect their first baby in June.

SUSAN ANNE HENRY is working at Congressional Quarterly in Washington, D. C. This fall will be student teaching and getting teaching certificate in secondary social studies at George Mason University.

JILL BUTLER Pendleton is medical education coordinator for Peninsula Hospital and husband Jim is a resident at Moffet Hospital in San Francisco, Calif.

PAMELA MORTON Dowler is married to an attorney and they have a daughter, Emily, born on March 4, 1978.

A speech pathologist working with pre-school developmentally delayed children, **BARBARA ROBERTSON** Burke and husband are happy to be back in Richmond, Va. He is a member of the systems development department with Life Insurance Company of Virginia.

A registrar in a small history museum, **CHARLOTTE HELLER** Chatlain and husband, Chip, an attorney, have lived in New Orleans for 3 years.

KAREN STONEBURNER Miller recently began with the Virginia Commission for the Visually Handicapped as education consultant. She and husband Michael reside in Harrisonburg, Va.

ANNE VOGTLE Baldwin and husband Bryan are planning a trip to Yellowstone National Park this summer with son, Christopher. New baby expected in November.

MARGARET HUNTLEY Moser has a 3 year old son, Ben, and another baby due. Husband Alex is working in a dental group in Winston-Salem.

A Pediatric Nurse at the University of Colorado Medical Center, **LESLIE THOMPSON** resides in Denver.

LAURA HALL Boschen is recently married to a realtor and is in nursing school in Richmond.

ELIZABETH CLEVELAND Jamison and husband Curt recently moved to Atlanta with new daughter, Elizabeth Feild Jamison born November 18, 1976.

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MARTHA HILDEBRAND Sherwood still works at State Bank of Raritan Valley in Whitehouse, N.J. and lives in Flemington, N.J.

KATHERINE HEWITT lives in Baltimore, Md. and works as Dept. Manager of Women's Accessories at Hutzlers Co. She has become very interested in volunteer civic services also.

MARGARET BALDWIN Marks and her husband John and a daughter lived in Franklin, Va. where he has started his own law office.

ANNE GLADDING STERN is a caseworker in the Wilmington, Dela. office of U.S. Senator William Roth.

MARY HOTCHKISS Leavell and her husband live in Atlanta, Ga.

SHARON CALLIHAM Timmerman is living in Myrtle Beach, S. C. where she busies herself teaching kindergarten while her son, Chris is in nursery school.

MARGARITA PARTRIDGE Rogers is now living in Tucson, Arizona but is looking forward to a move eastward when her husband enters North Carolina State University.

LINDA FORBES Riley and her husband Mike live in Roanoke, Va. They have one daughter Katherine Trant ("Kate").

CATHERINE H. CROSS is a stewardess for Delta Airlines and is enrolled in the M.A. Counselling program at Georgia State University.

CAROL HENSHAW Russell has a busy family life in New Castle, Dela. where her husband is working for the Getty Corp. as an engineer. They have two children.

ROBYN TIMBERLAKE Ruth and husband Bill and a new addition to the family, Vicki, and live in Graham, N. C.

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SANDRA J. WANDRISCO recently completed her MBA at the University of Va. and will be working at the Coca-Cola Bottling Company in Akron as an assistant to the executive vice president.

Residents of Hatfield, Pa., **MARTHA GOLDEN** Foster and husband often see **SARAH MCCORMICK** Turner and **MARY KELLEY** Breege.

MERRI SCIBAL Polkonsky, husband Ron, and son Matthew, are moving to Monterey, Calif., where she and Ron will be going to graduate school.

VICTORIA MANN DeJarnette is proud of husband Jesse who is a graduate of UVA graduate school.

Plans are to return to Virginia for **MARY PAIGE TEMPLE** Somerville and her husband. Pete has almost completed his 2nd year at MU Law School.

Busy **VALERIE HENNEY** is a full time realtor associate and teaches drawing and interior decorating at Thomas Nelson Community College.

Sunny Florida finds **MARGARET (MARNA) Smith** and husband Steve in the Navy. She is working part-time as a bank-teller but may decide "to follow the ship" when Steve goes on a Mediterranean cruise next year.

ANNE COLEMAN Knopp and husband John have a new son, Paul, and have just built a new home south of Staunton.

JANE WRIGHT Luten and husband Stephen who is practicing internal medicine, reside in Mobile, Ala. with their two sons, Brian and Wright.

Austinville, Va. is the new home of **PATRICIA LACY** Gray and husband Jay who own and operate an antique shop in their town. Just returned from 2 years in Alaska.

SUSAN VAN DEVENTER Killingsworth has returned to teaching biology after the birth of son Bryan. The family is spending the summer in Belgium with an international interdenominational Christian organization called Operation Mobilization.

ANNE CUSHMAN expects to receive a master's from the University of Paris.

Moving to Frederick, Md., **HELEN RADCLIFF** Gregory and husband Ted have a

new daughter, Elizabeth, born on December 20th. Ed has accepted a job with a CPA firm.

JULIE CRAWFORD Phillips is a RN at Woman's Hospital in Jackson, Miss. while husband Ed is in Med School. New daughter Emily Ann born in March.

Still single, **ELIZABETH UPDIKE**, is living in Washington, D. C.

KATHY PAYNE Wueste and family are in the process of moving from New Jersey to Kansas City.

SUSAN ENGLANDER Fraile is working as a librarian for the Preston, Conn. school system and husband Bob is serving in the Navy on the submarine USS Will Rogers.

Tired of snow and glad for Spring, **LOSSIE NOELL** Wilkinson and her family plan to vacation in Virginia Beach this summer. They reside in Charlottesville, Va.

Joining the troops of job-seekers, **MIRIAM SMITH** Burke and her husband will leave Staunton and move to Richmond where he will join the firm of Mays, Valentine and Davenport.

MARY WARREN MONTAGUE Pinnell is the headmaster's secretary at St. Christopher's in Richmond. Bucky is finishing his third year at MCV Medical School.

A staff attorney at Neighborhood Legal Aid in Charleston, S. C., **MACI CATALANO** Scheuer and husband Jack are awaiting his graduation from Medical School. He will then enter residency in internal medicine.

ANN B. DAY received the master of divinity degree in May from Vanderbilt Divinity School.

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NANCY MORISON AMBLER lives in Belmont, Mass., works as assistant director of Public Relations and Promotion for Sarah Caldwell's Opera Company of Boston, and loves Boston!

KATHERINE KNIGHT Clark and husband Harry live in New York City where he works with Young and Rubicam Advertising, Inc. and Katherine is a trader with E. F. Hutton and Co., Inc.

MOLLY ELY Hunter and husband Johnny are living in Mobile, Ala. and she is a feature writer for Mobile Press Register.

LUCILE CRADDOCK Reddick is a psychometrist in counseling at Clemson University, Clemson, S. C. Husband Brad working on his doctorate in plant pathology.

ANNE MERRY still teaches at the Augusta Preparatory School in Augusta, Ga.

SHARON KEYS Seal works in Washington, D. C. as a paralegal and she and husband Ken live in Alexandria, Va. Husband Ken to enter graduate school at UVA this fall.

PATRICIA ANN PIORKOWSKI is at the University of Virginia in Charlottesville working toward a M.A. in Art History. Plans a trip to England.

ROBIN NEEL is studying nursing in Atlanta, Ga.

LYNDA BERGEN Wheatley and her husband William live in Chestertown, Md. and she works as a chemist in the Quality Control Lab of La Motte Chemical Products Co.

CULLEN CARRINGTON CRADDOCK resides in Jacksonville, Fla. but travels to Virginia for visits.

CAROLYN L. BAILEY is currently employed as Resource Development assistant at the John Young Museum and Planetarium in Orlando, Fla.

CONSTANCE ANNE BAK lives in Swoope, Va. and is employed as Assistant Education Coordinator for King's Daughters' Hospital School of Medical Technology at Staunton.

ELLEN LUTZ lives in New Orleans, La. and is to be married soon.

DEBORAH L. DULL lives in Charlottesville, Va. and works as a paralegal for The Research Group, Inc.

LAURA LEE JOHNSON Schultz and her husband are stationed at New River Air Station, N. C. where Dan flies for the Marine Corps and she teaches 2nd grade at Camp Lejeune.

ROBERT S. SERGEANT lives in Newport News where he is the Assistant Headmaster and Head of the English Department at the Peninsula Campus of the Staunton Military Academy.

KATHERINE HUNT Stormont and her family live at Virginia Beach, Va. where she works part time at the Walter P. Chrysler Museum in Norfolk. Has a new son named David.

CARY ADKINS Guza lives in Richmond, Va. where she is employed as a consulting teacher at the Mathematics and Science Center.

ISABEL WILLIAMSON is in her second year of law school at the University of South Carolina.

EVA STIMSON has moved to Atlanta, Ga. and is working as a copy editor for John Knox Press at the Presbyterian Center.

LEE JOHNSTON Foster still works as an Industrial Engineer for Burlington Industries in South Boston, Va.

AMY THOMPSON Coons and family have recently moved to Fairfax, Va. from Connecticut. Andrew, 15 months old, keeps her busy.

CATHERINE SHANER lives in Richmond and is associated with social services at Crippled Children's Hospital in Richmond, Va.

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MARGARET T. TUGGLE is living in Richmond, Va. and has earned her masters in counseling from Duke University.

DANA LECKIE completed her masters in Education at the University of Virginia, Charlottesville and is presently employed as vocational rehab counselor for the state of North Carolina in the Durham city schools.

SUSAN BURDON Coleman, her husband and son live in Houston, Tex. where her husband works for Aminoil as District Landman Offshore.

ANNE LEATHERBURY lives in Richmond, Va. and works at Wheat First Securities, Inc. in Planning and Budgeting and she is studying at Virginia Commonwealth University.

CAROL LYNN HOWARD lives in New Orleans, La. and has a job at Tulane Medical School.

PEGGY BRYSON Altman and her husband Jack have moved to Dallas, Tex. and he is assistant to the Rector at the Church of the Incarnation, while she serves as an Administrative Assistant at the Hockaday School.

MARY ANN NABER Beacham and husband William are off to Atlanta, Ga. for an internship. Mary Ann has been in New Orleans, La.

MARTHA ELDRIDGE DOBYNS is located in Richmond, Va. where she has a career in nursing planned after completion of studies at the Medical College of Virginia.

MARY KATHERINE CLARKE is living in Atlanta, Ga. and teaching first grade.

JENNIE PEERY BauMann lives in Baltimore, Md.

ANNE LAYNE CRIDLIN is now a counselor at the Powhatan Correctional Center of the Virginia Department of Corrections, Crozier, Va.

VICKIE L. REYNOLDS lives in Richmond, Va. and is working for United Virginia Bankshares as a Cash Management Consultant.

MARY KAY SCHORN is sharing an apartment in Richmond, Va., with **VALERIE SUTTON**. Mary Kay is enrolled in the Medical College of Virginia, School of Pharmacy. She works part-time in the Pharmacy at Johnston-Willis Hospital during the school year and full-time in the summer. Val is employed at the Virginia Historic Landmarks Commission as an assistant registrar.

SUSAN RIEGEL Rancourt graduated from Georgetown University, May 1976, with a BA degree in Sociology. She is living in Washington, D. C., where her husband is completing his final year of law school and she is working for the National Legislative Representative of the Brotherhood of Maintenance of Way employees, AFL-CIO.

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CLAUDIA L. WOODY recently received a Hilton A. Smith Graduate Fellowship to continue her graduate studies at the University of Tennessee at Knoxville.

REBECCA COWARD and **CATHY BARTON** are living in Nashville, Tenn.

Living in Richmond, **CARTER LEE** Jones and husband Ray are moving to a new house. Carter is working for Reynolds Metals and her husband for Richmond Newspapers, Inc.

CAROLYN HEDGE BAIRD and husband Jimmy are moving to Houston where he has a job with a law firm.

ANN ROSS CALHOUN is completing her first year in graduate school in the Department of Physiology and Biophysics in Jacksonville, Miss.

A paralegal in Nashville, **CATHY BARTON** worked in Yellowstone last summer.

HELEN KEETER HORTON is working for the District Attorney in Greenville, S. C. and is engaged to be married in September to Julian Hunt.

DEBBIE WOLFE Sheas is presently employed as a paralegal in Dumas, Arkansas and was recently married. She and her husband are in the process of remodeling his great-grandparents' home.

GRACE MCCUTCHEEN has been visiting her sister and brother-in-law in Vermont and doing some skiing.

MELISSA RHODES is enrolled at VIP and working on her MBA.

CYNTHIA VAUGHAN is working at the Federal Reserve Bank in Richmond.

A resident of Houston, **FRANCES LAWRENCE** is working for the Harris County Heritage Society as curator of photograph collections.

BETTY ALTAFFER is working on her MBA at the University of Richmond.

Planning grad school in the fall, **ELOISE CLYDE** has been traveling in Europe and writing travel articles for Tyler, Texas newspapers.

LESLIE MCLEOD is employed as a research technician at the Eastern Va. Medical School.

In Memoriam

FANNIE CAMPBELL Walton '02, March 2, 1978.

JEAN McDOWELL Head '04, December 29, 1977.

EDNA UMBACH '04, February 15, 1978.
LUCY PENN Willets '05, October 29, 1977.

MARIE HAMMOND Wonson '06, February 20, 1978.

MARY WEISIGER White '06, December 17, 1977.

PAULINE CODY Hebb '06, January 28, 1978.

ANNIE FRENCH HODGE Beverley '07, December, 1977.

GERTRUDE CRENSHAW Newton '09, February 8, 1978.

LILY SHAW Gans '11, May 28, 1978.

FAIR SEARSON Bradford '13, November 1, 1977.

LAMAR WISE Stetson '14, February, 1978.

EVELYN BRIGHT Eskridge '18, November 13, 1977.

EMILY HAZELRIGG Jones '21, December 26, 1977.

ESTELLE TOMLINSON Jones '21, June 5, 1978.

IRENE INEZ RICHARDS Dunning '23, September 7, 1977.

MARY VIRGINIA McCOMB Hodges '24, February 10, 1978.

MARJORIE TROTTER Wood '27, March 31, 1978.

WANDA LEE FORMAN Nance '33, September 14, 1977.

LOIS JANE GARDNER Boyd '35, November, 1977.

HELEN LaVORST MILLER '35, May 11, 1978.

ANNETTE McCLARAN Dering '45,
November 28, 1977.
FLAVIA DRIVER Kline '46, March 23,
1977.

Weddings

RUTH MOWERY Evans '24 to O. C.
Marler, April 7, 1978.
DOROTHY BELCH '36 to JAMES F.
HINE, January 28, 1978.
SUSAN THOMPSON Wilburn '64 to Dr.
Allan Augustus Hoffman, April 22, 1978.
MARY ANNE APPLEBY '64 to James
Anthony Marchio, April 23, 1978.
MARTHA FOWLER '69 to John D.
Pitzer, July 23, 1977.
JANN LAWSON MALONE '72 to Lloyd
Michael Steele, April 29, 1978.
CLAUDIA MEARS TURNER '72 to I.
W. Bagwell, IV, November 12, 1977.
MARTHA FINLEY TAYLOR '73 to
David H. Sutton, May 21, 1977.
SUSAN GRANT HEINER '75 to Robert
Brooks Steadman, May 13, 1978.
CYNTHIA ELIZABETH READ '75 to
James Allison Lofton, August, 1977.
EMILY ANN FULGHAM '76 to Leland
McCullough, III, December 21, 1977.
MAUDE MARTIN '76 to Frank Wilson
Brown, October 8, 1977.
SUSAN LYNNE RIEGEL '76 to Craig
John Rancourt, May 28, 1977.
MARY ANN NABER '76 to William F.
Beacham, March 25, 1978.
MARY McCARTY '76 to Edward B.
Martin, III, April 22, 1978.
ELIZA COLLETTE GIBBS '77 to Robert
Gilman, June 12, 1977.
MARGARET RAVENEL CARSWELL
'77 to Scott Head Richardson, October 15,
1978.

Births

To KAREN SCHULTZ Bain '62 and Ed, a
son, Andrew Rodes, March 8, 1978.
To VALERIE CAMMACK Sies '65 and
Andre, a daughter, Amy Christine, May 9,
1978.
To SANDY McLEOD Turner '65 and Jack,
a daughter, Jenny, February 21, 1978.
To CLAUDIA TURNER Aycock '66 and
Charlie, a daughter, Charlotte Cherry, April
30, 1978.
To GINGER TIMBES Ewing '66 and
Hem, a son, Spencer Cassels, January 12,
1978.
To GLENDA NORRIS George '66 and
William, a daughter, April 4, 1978.
To PAGE JONES Thacker '66 and John, a
daughter, Elizabeth Claiborne, March 16,
1978.

To GWYNN McNAUGHT Henderson '66
and Robert, a son, John Robert, Jr., January
29, 1978.

To SALLY STOWERS Oliver '67 and
Travis, a son, John Cole, March 7, 1978.

To MARGARET McNEESE Schuessler
'67 and John, a daughter, Bridget Theresa
McNeese, March 22, 1977.

To LINDA YOUNG Kennedy '67 and
Willis, a son, Patrick Anthony, December 31,
1977.

To CAROL CONWAY McGuire '67 and
John, a son, John William, February 2, 1978.

To BECKY BREEDEN Mastin '67 and
Ranny, a daughter, Anne Whitfield, October
20, 1977.

To SUSAN PAUL Firestone '68 and
husband, a daughter, Mary Cleveland,
February 13, 1977.

To BETTY JOLLEY Kobiashvili '68 and
Zurab, a daughter, Elizabeth Gettys, De-
cember 10, 1977.

To JANE COLLIS Thornton '69 and
Whitney, a son, Bryan Whitney, September
19, 1977.

To JANET IRVIN Crowder '69 and Rob, a
son, Ryan Irvin, November 27, 1977.

To ANN ASHLEY Sweeney '69 and
Donald, a son, Donald Bernard Patrick,
March 17, 1977.

To BETSY FLOETING Davis '69 and Jim,
a son, Christopher James, March 28, 1977.

To ALICE DIBRELL Freeman '70 and
Isaac, a daughter, Alice Schaap, February 27,
1978.

To PAULA POWERS Tchirkow '71 and
George, a daughter, Julie Allen, May 14, 1978.

To LAURA SADLER Olin '71 and
Stephen, a daughter, Hillary Manchester,
March 14, 1978.

To ELLEN PORTER Holtman '71 and
Roger, a daughter, Mary Elizabeth, May 23,
1978.

To PATRICIA LAMBERTH Bruce '71
and William, a daughter, Cathryn Collins,
June 28, 1977.

To LINDA WINNER Beville '71 and
Norb, a daughter, Lee Carolyn, October 13,
1977.

To MARTHA BLAIN Buchanan '71 and
Larry, a daughter, Jennifer Anne, August 18,
1977.

To JANE SHORTELL Nelson '71 and
Stephen, a daughter, Karen, December 28,
1977.

To KATHLEEN MADIGAN Muehlman
'71 and Raymond, a son, March 21, 1977.

To ELIZABETH TOMS Chaplin '71 and
husband, a daughter, Emily Toms, August 6,
1977.

To PENNY POWERS Pattee '72 and
Robert, a daughter, Kathryn, February 25,
1978.

To RUTH RACHAL Wilhelm '72 and
Dorn, a son, Matthew Dorn, October 19,
1977.

To LINDA VREELAND Marshall '72 and
Douglas, a son, John Douglas, November
1977.

To MARY JIM MOORE Quillen '72 and
Michael, a son, Henry Clay, February 26,
1978.

To HELEN RADCLIFFE Gregory '74 and
Ted, a daughter, Elizabeth Lane, December
20, 1977.

To LYNN LAUDERDALE Basham '74
and Michael, a son, Michael Emory.

To ANNE WRAY JONES Cutchins '75
and Cecil, a son, Cecil Vaughan, Jr.,
November 11, 1977.

Alumnae News Notes:

Secretary of Health, Education and Welfare,
Joseph Califano, Jr., has appointed NANCY
KIRCHNER Eliason '50 of the American
Association of Community and Junior
Colleges to the newly established
National Center for Research in Vocational
Education Advisory Council. The Advisory
Council will assist the Director of the
National Center, will help to determine the
location of one or more regional research
centers and will offer counsel on aspects of
vocational education research.

Ms. Eliason is currently directing two
government-supported programs which have
as their objectives the improvement of access
for women to non-traditional occupational
and career education programs in com-
munity, junior and technical colleges. Last
year she completed a study funded by the
Carnegie Corporation of New York, point-
ing out some of the problems that stand in
the way of equitable treatment for women in
occupational education.

On May 27, 1978 MELLIE HUSSEY
Hickey '37 became the first woman in the
Carolinas to be ordained to the priesthood
of the Episcopal Church. She received her
Master of Divinity Degree from Virginia
Theological Seminary last May and was
ordained to the Diaconate in June.

The service of ordination to the priesthood
was held in St. Thaddeus Church, Aiken,
South Carolina, where her husband is rector
and where she has been serving as Director
of Christian Education.

About Your "Will" to Provide a Will

By WILLIAM G. WEHNER
Vice President for Development

Did you know that about 70% of the 1.9 million Americans who died in 1975 had something in common with four former United States Presidents? Namely, Lincoln, Andrew Johnson, Grant and Garfield? Yes, as you may have guessed, they died intestate (without a will). Another person of national and international reputation, Mr. Fred Vinson, former Secretary of the Treasury and Chief Justice of the United States, also died without a will. And the list could go on and on.

In Lincoln's case the intestate laws of Illinois provided that his estate was divided into equal thirds; for his widow; his son, Robert, a recent college graduate; and Tad, his young twelve-year-old son.

And guess what? The state of Virginia (or the state in which you reside) has already made provisions for the disposition of your estate in case you don't get around to it. A comforting thought? I don't think so, especially when taking the time to provide a will could save your beneficiaries unnecessary problems and costs in settling your estate or managing its assets. Besides, if you had the choice, wouldn't you rather decide what happens to your property than let the Government do it for you?

One Mary Baldwin alumna several weeks ago half-jokingly commented to me that she felt lawyers push wills just to make money and that a holographic (or handwritten) will makes more sense for individuals with smaller estates. Many people may in fact privately share this view, but I've learned quite the contrary—lawyers actually make more money administering intestate estates as well as making money trying to establish the validity of some handwritten wills! (While a handwritten will is not legal in but about half of the states, it is legal in Virginia.) A very poignant story about the dangers involved a shipping magnate of considerable wealth. He wrote his own will and among its provisions was the following, "Upon my death I hereby give all my money and property to my three daughters, and their children." The oldest daughter had five children, the second had three, and the third two. The question was should the estate be divided into three equal parts—or thirteen equal parts? Eight long years later the three million dollar estate had been substantially reduced by expensive court battles among the sisters. I would imagine, too, that the relationship among the respective families was permanently altered due to this unfortunate incident.

Another bad experience occurred at the passing of a minister who died intestate. Undoubtedly, he would have wanted his wife to receive more than one-third of his estate, yet that was her share by their state's intestate laws. The remainder of his property went to their five-year-old son. And to compound the problem, the minister's widow had to ask the court to appoint her as legal guardian of her own son! Now, every year,

she must submit a detailed report to the court. She must abide by restrictive investment procedures. If her son has to have major dental work, the court must approve the expenditure!

Well, enough of the sad news and on to the good news—at least good for your family and maybe even Mary Baldwin College. Through your will you may take maximum advantage of the marital deduction which may save you estate taxes. Also, you may set up a trust in your will to save additional taxes for your surviving spouse at his or her death. A lawyer could explain these tax saving devices to you.

EXAMPLE: Mrs. Baldwin is a widow with no children and has an adjusted gross estate of \$300,000. If she leaves her entire estate to her wealthy nephew, the estate tax will be \$53,800. (This example assumes that Mrs. Baldwin dies in 1978. The full unified transfer tax credit is being phased in over five years. If she dies in 1981, for example, the estate tax liability will be reduced to \$40,800.) or Mrs. Baldwin gives \$200,000 to Mary Baldwin College and the remaining \$100,000 to her nephew. Now the estate tax will be at zero because of this charitable gift!

While the example above is very specific, as well as simple, it can have meaningful application to someone setting up their will or contemplating a charitable contribution. However, every situation is different and state laws do vary so please consult a lawyer about your own situation.

The Tax Reform Act of 1976 made sweeping changes in our tax laws—changes include marital deductions, gift tax filing requirements, generation-skipping transfers, contemplation-of-death requirements, estate and gift tax tables, etc. I have a small brochure published by one of the better known tax experts entitled, "Women's Financial Planning." It may help you put these changes into a more personal perspective.

Please clip the coupon attached to this article and send it to me at Mary Baldwin, and I will send you the brochure without obligation.

Dear Bill:

Please send me the brochure entitled "Women's Financial Planning".

Name _____

Address _____

City, state, zip _____

Mail to: WILLIAM G. WEHNER
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